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EVEN EVENSON'S BODY FOUND BURNED TO CRISP CINDER IN BARRE FARMHOUSE CELLAR

BARRE MILLS MAN KILLED BY FLAMES WHEN HOME BURNS

Neighbors Called by Telephone Rush to Assistance of Man Who Loses His Life

MYSTERY REMAINS UNSOLVED

Whether Eccentric Agriculturist Designed His End or Died Accidentally Puzzles Authorities

Even Evenson, eccentric farmer of the town of Greenfield, twice an inmate of the state hospital for the insane at Mendota, the man who talked with the aid of a silver tube inserted in his throat twenty years ago, met his death mysteriously at 4 o'clock this morning, when his home near Barre Mills was burned to the ground.

Evenson's blackened and charred body was badly burned and disfigured, and was reposing in what had been the cellar of his house, when Coroner William L. Tetley took charge of it.

Evenson was alone in the building when the fire started. Shortly before 4 o'clock this morning, he telephoned to neighbors that the house was on fire. Edwin Engebretson, George Simon and Edward Wege, all neighbors, were the first to arrive. Evenson was carrying out furniture, and they pitched in to help him. Shortly afterwards, Evenson disappeared, and his body was not found in the cellar until daylight this morning.

Woman Chased From Home

Mrs. Evenson and her only child, Edmund, 16, left the homestead yesterday afternoon. According to them, Evenson threatened to kill them both. Mrs. Evenson says that her husband struck the boy, and made a lunge toward her, when she ran a mile bareheaded to the home of her brother, Richard Wege. Here she stayed until the alarm of fire was given at four o'clock.

Evenson's body was identified by the silver tube in his throat. At first, the authorities suspected that Evenson had been the victim of foul play. Whether he set fire to the house or it was an accident is not known.

Neighbors told The TRIBUNE representative who went over the ground in an automobile to investigate the mystery that Evenson had had trouble with his wife for some time. They were asked a few days ago to sign a petition to have Evenson removed to the insane asylum at Mendota for the third time. The majority of these wrote upon the petition that in their estimation Evenson was perfectly sane.

Argues With Wood Cutters

A peculiar circumstance, connected with the burning of the house, and one which Coroner Tetley is investigating here, is that of an alleged argument Evenson is said to have had with two woodcutters, namely L. E. Pfifer, giving his address as La Crosse, and Frank Ryan, giving his home as being in Ohio. They had been working for Evenson for several months. Evenson told neighbors that they worked very slow, and that he did not want them on that account. They are said to have made a contract with Evenson to cut 100 cords of wood during their stay. When they left they had cut but fifty cords, and Evenson is said to have had to pay them $11 more than he had contracted for.

Woodcutters Drive Away

Evenson told Engebretson, a farmer living nearby, and a close friend, that the woodcutters had left about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. They had a rig with them and drove to the city.

The last seen of Evenson prior to

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"Runaway June"

The story of a Great Movie Play, will begin in The TRIBUNE tomorrow. First episode

"The Man with the Black Van Dyke."

The story of one episode will be told each Tuesday.

BLOCKADE OF GERMAN COAST TO BE WEAPON AGAINST NEW WARFARE

WAR COSTS BRITAIN SEVEN MILLION AND HALF EACH DAY

So Asquith Tells Parliament Asking Additional Credit of 185 Millions

MUST ADVANCE TO HEAR ALLIES

More Funds to Be Placed at the Disposal of Servia and Belgium

LONDON, March 1.—Premier Asquith this afternoon asked the house of commons to vote a credit of $185,000,000 for war expenditures for the remainder of the period ending March 31, making a total appropriation thus far of $1,810,000,000.

The war has cost England alone about $7,500,000 a day, the premier declared in parliament, but the prime minister assured members England could stand the drain upon her resources for years without an actual crisis.

Premier Asquith announced that as the result of the recent conference at Paris, England probably will advance more funds to Servia and to Belgium. This will be in addition to $4,000,000 already advanced to Servia, and the $50,000,000 advanced to Belgium.

The war expenditures are steadily rising, the premier added. By April 1, he said, the war will be costing England at least $8,500,000 daily.

DEATHBLOW WILL BE AIMED AT TEUTON COMMERCE

Statement Expected to Make Threat of Enforcement Unless Submarine Blockade Stops

LONDON, March 1.—Great Britain today made public her answer to German submarine attacks upon British merchantmen. Premier Asquith announced in the house of commons that the government has decided to lay an embargo against the shipment of all commodities, including foodstuffs, into Germany. At the same time, the prime minister said, steps will be taken to prevent Germany from shipping commodities of any kind to other countries.

Notes carrying this announcement have been sent to the neutral powers. They were transmitted by British diplomatic representatives at about the same time the premier made the government's policy known in the house of commons.

France to Aid

France will join Great Britain in enforcing the blockade of Germany, Premier Asquith announced. In this connection, he warned neutral countries that the allies would not be diverted from their purpose by any protests that the embargo was upsetting the world's comerce.

"These new measures will be enforced by the British and French governments without risk to neutrals," he said, "and in strict accordance with the dictates of humanity. It is not proposed, however, to let our efforts be strangled by a network of judicial niceties. If neutrals suffer, it is, of course, to be regretted. But, let them remember that this sort of warfare was not instigated nor encouraged by England."

Virtual Blockade

Laying of the embargo is virtually a decree of blockade of the German coast. It comes in response to a public demand in England, expressed through the press, that the government assert itself in drastic reprisals against Germany for her action in torpedoing British merchantmen without warning.

The allies have purposely avoided decreeing an immediate blockade. It was pointed out by government officials that while the prospective announcement is without precedent in international law, it was drafted to avoid conflict with neutral countries. Certain concessions may be made to neutral shippers that would be out of the question, if the allies adopted their inflexible blockade.

U. S. Must Submit

WASHINGTON, March 1.—America must submit to England's proposed "blockade" against Germany, in the state department experts' opinion this afternoon, based on what they know of English plans through unofficial reports.

The English blockade probably will not work extreme hardships to American commerce, according to a prominent official. At present America can ship non-contraband to Germany and receive certain dyestufs and chemicals. Such trade will be halted if the blockare materializes but the United States will be able to get her dyestuffs through the new invention of an interior department expert.

FOREIGN POLICY OF 'Y' ACTIVITIES HURT THROUGH WAR

Abner C. Gran and Other Association Workers Here to Attend Chicago Conference

A. C. Gran, general secretary of the La Crosse Young Men's Christian association, will attend an all-day conference at Chicago Wednesday of a selected group of Y. M. C. A. secretaries and business men of this country. The conference will be held in the Hotel Sherman.

The matter of establishing a new policy for foreign work especially in Europe and Asia, made necessary by the European war, will be brought before the conference.

Dr. John R. Mott of New York, who recently returned from Europe where he was in conference with the German, French and British governments regarding work with the armies, will be at the meeting in Chicago. Other prominent men to attend will be George Sherwood Eddy of New York, and Fletcher S. Brockman, secretary of the association in China.

Cyrus McCormick is Host

Secretaries present will be the guests at luncheon of the board of managers of the Chicago Y. M. C. A. Cyrus H. McCormick will act as host at luncheon to the visiting business men.

George W. Burton, Henry A. Salzer and Alfred James of this city, also have been invited to attend the conference.

STRIKE LEADERS TO CONFER LOOKING TO CONCILIATION

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Representatives of the striking East Ohio coal miners may confere with Secretary of Labor Wilson late today. The department was informed that several were here. An effort will be made to bring about a conciliation.

Representative Francis of Ohio, asked President Wilson to intervene in the Ohio soft coal fields strike. He said it was apparent the commission named by Labor Secretary Wilson has failed, and that the situation is rapidly becoming almost as serious as was the Colorado dispute.

SNOWBALLED, SHE SHOOTS BOY

WETA, S. D., March 1.—Four small boys snowballed Mrs. A. W. Brock, wife of the postmaster. She pulled a revolver and is under bail today charged with having fired into the crowd of kiddies. One bullet is alleged to have struck Francis Solon in the shoulder.

PETROGRAD SAYS HINDENBURG IS ON DEFENSIVE

Claimed That Drive Toward Warsaw-Petrograd Railway Has Been Halted by Fresh Troops

BOTH SIDES SUFFERING HEAVILY

Germans Bringing Up Busy Berthas to Reduce the Fortress of Ossowetz

PETROGRAD, March 1.—From the Niemen to Mlava, van Hindenburg's drive toward the Warsaw-Petrograd railway, has been halted. Reinforced Russian armies are rolling the Germans back upon the Mlava. The most severe fighting is along a narrow road, and it is admitted that German artillery has inflicted heavy losses on the troops of the czar.

The German left wing has suffered heavily west of the Niemen, near Sopockinie. Several bodies of the Germans advancing through the swamps from Augustof, have been slaughtered by fresh Russian forces from Grodno.

The Germans are making desperate efforts against the fortress of Ossowetz. Reports from Grodno today said that 42 centimeter guns are being put into position to shell the fortress.

In East Galicia the Austrians have brought up heavy artillery from near Krasna, but have been unable to advance toward Dniester. More than 6,000 prisoners have been taken by the Russians west and south of Stanislau, including several hundred Germans.

French Claim Advances

PARIS, March 1.—French troops on the offensive in the Champagne region have now advanced their lines over a width of nearly a mile and a half, according to dispatches received from the front today. Northwest of Perthes, the Germans have made several unsuccessful counter-attacks, but have been beaten off. The French yesterday gained new trenches, adjacent to those captured in last week's fighting.

In the Vosges, the French continued to gain ground near Chappallotte. The Germans have abandoned their attempts to take the offensive at this point.

French infantry regiments have made a series of successful charges against the Germans on the heights of Vauquois, near Varennes.

Attacks in Vain?

BERLIN, via Wireless to London, March 1.—The French are making desperate but vain efforts to recapture Badenviller, in the Vosges, and to press in the right wing of the crown prince's army north of Verdun, according to official dispatches this afternoon.

At Vauquois, southeast of Varennes and northwest of Verdun, the enemy delivered five furious attacks against the forces of the crown prince. They were beaten back in each instance, but the battle continued.

In the eastern theater of war the heaviest fighting is occurring northwest of the Russian fortress of Ostrolenka. The Russians in heavy force have violently assailed the German lines, but have been beaten off.

BERNSTORFF TO RETURN

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Secretary of State Bryan said today he knew nothing of reports that German Ambassador Count von Bernstorff was about to quit the country. The embassy, too, said it was ignorant of them. The ambassador was understood to be in New York.

CHASED HER IN UNIE

CHICAGO, March 1.—Sporting only the latest make of union suit between himself and the frosty air, Albert Beilfuss chased out on the street after his wife, Mrs. Tina Beilfuss testified today in asking a divorce.

'FORTS' IN YARDS SUCCUMB AFTER ALL NIGHT BATTLE

Allied Cops After Desperate Engagement Occupy Greek Stronghold and Imprison Defenders

THREE DOZEN MADE PRISONERS

Strain of Reinforcements Eventually Wears Down Garrison Which Surrenders at Daylight

ROW STARTS OVER GAME OF CARDS

Clash Between Two Greeks Attracts Officers and Then Everybody Takes a Hand

After a continuous exchange of shots, lasting from 10 until midnight Sunday, followed by desultory firing until early this morning, the "forts" at the entrance to Grand Crossing have succumbed to the allied "cops" according to an official statement issued at the police headquarters here today.

Shortly after 10 o'clock Sunday night Guy Colby, night "scout" for the Burlington railroad was attracted to the north end of the yards by rifle and revolver shots. Creeping close he saw the "enemy"—mostly Greeks—involved in an internal struggle.

Calls Reinforcements

He at once returned to "camp" and used the field telephone to summon "Privates" Ashland and Yehle of the La Crosse police force. Thus reinforced he again approached the land occupied by the Greeks and opened fire. The defending force was too strong and again it was necessary for the allied coppers to call for reinforcements.

This time special scout of the "Q." A. D. Garrow, accompanied by Sergeant Britton, representing the La Crosse police, proceeded to the scene. Garrow, with the judgment acquired by long service, attempted a parley. Creeping cautiously to within a few yards of the Greeks' forts—rather, box cars—he hoisted his handkerchief on a willow limb.

Answered by Volley

A volley of shots from the cars answered.

"Let's charge them!" suggested Yehle.

"Ashland, you go and try and talk to them," suggested Garrow.

"Not me. If I want to die I'll go to Europe," promptly responded Ashland, who already had felt the air from a "sawed-off."

"Alright. Wait until daylight. We can see better," wisely decided Garrow.

In the meantime a special messenger had been dispatched to police headquarters with requests for additional reinforcements.

At 6 o'clock the police auto, driven by Capt. Lawrence Dugan and carrying Patrolmen Duke, Arneson, Riek, Roberge and Groeschner, armed with heavy riot guns, started for the scene.

The "forts" were surrounded. The Greeks again attempted to drive off the attackers but seeing they were outnumbered, hoisted the white flag.

Special Train to Base

A box car was backed up to the scene and the entire garrison, thirty-six in number, were loaded in and conveyed to the south side. There they were met by additional guards in the forms of Patrolmen Sam Johnson and Frank Wolfe and were escorted to the police station.

This afternoon Bill Boclis and Antonius Frangias, two of the outfit, paid $25 fine and costs and the others were released.

Oh, yes. The fight was purely a local affair, originating when Boclis accused Frangias of cheating in a card game.

HERE IT IS

The Dollar Day paper we have been announcing for a week or more. It contains an advertisement from practically every La Crosse merchant, offering special inducements for

DOLLAR DAY

Wednesday, March 3rd

If you are interested in saving money, you will look over every ad. in this paper tonight. Take The Tribune with you when you go shopping Wednesday.

ALLIED FLEET NOW SIXTEEN MILES WITHIN DARDANELLES STRAITS

Dacia Seized in English Channel by French Ship

BREST, France, March 1.—The American cotton steamer Dacia was towed into the naval harbor here today, escorted by a French cruiser that stopped her in the channel Saturday night.

KAOLIN FOUND HERE ON SUITER FARM HAS HIGH VALUE

Clay from Which China and Pottery Is Made Is Plentiful at North Bend

Exigencies developed by the European war may result in the birth of a new industry in this locality.

A deposit of kaolin, the clay from which the highest grade of china is made, has been discovered on the F. C. Suiter farm at North Bend, twenty miles north of here. Tests of the clay are now being made by a government geologist at Ames, Iowa.

The American supply of kaolin is extremely limited, most of the world's supply being in Germany and Austria. On account of the war, the manufacture of china in the old countries and the exportation of the clay to potteries in this country has been stopped. Since the outbreak of the war, government geologists have been combing the country for kaolin. Attention was directed to the deposit near here through the state geological survey made recently.

Has High Commercial Value

Dr. Suiter has known of the existence of the deposit for a number of years, in fact he exhibited some of the clay at the St. Louis exposition, at which it was adjudged of a high commercial value. On account of poor shipping facilities the owner was unable before to put the clay on the market at a profit. Firms in Chicao have offered fifteen dollars a ton for the kaolin, the mark set by the government geological survey.

According to Dr. Suiter, the deposit is one of three in Wisconsin. One of the other two fields is nearly exhausted. The other deposit is at Hersey.

The field on the Suiter farm is approximately twenty acres in extent and has an average depth, it is thought of about thirty feet. One bore revealed a depth of 47 feet.

PROMINENT MAN MURDER SUSPECT

Well-to-do Aurora Citizen One of Two Men to Whom Suspicion Points in the Peterson Case

AURORA, Ill., March 1.—Search for the brute who pounded Emma Peterson to death last Thursday today narrowed to two men, whose identity is known. Chief of Police Michaels declared this afternoon that the two will be in the hands of the police tonight. One of them is a well-to-do Aurora citizen, who heretofore has lived with no hint of suspicion against his name.

The announcement electrified the city this afternoon. So intense is the interest in the hunt for the girl's slayer that the positive announcement is taken to mean that Police Chief Michaels is close to a solution not only of the Peterson killing, but also to the mysterious murder of Theresa Hollander in February, 1914, and of Jennie Miller last fall.

Jess Williams, a negro held as a suspect in the case, early today confessed that he robbed and cruelly beat Mrs. Francis E. Schwarz, 70 years old, after maltreating her last Saturday. When the confession became generally known, indignation rose to fever pitch. Williams had to be taken to Wheaton under heavy guard.

RAISE FALLS RATE

BUFFALO, N. Y., March 1.—The rate from this city to Niagara Falls was increased today from 50 to 60 cents. The advance is due to the attitude of the Inter-State Commerce Commission that the passenger department ought to pay its share of the operating expense.

MOULIN ROUGH BURNS

PARIS, March 1.—The Moulin Rouge, the most famous resort along the Paris night coast is in ashes. The entire fire department of Paris was called out, but a high wind fanned the blaze and the building is almost a total loss.

LED BY BRITISH DREADNAUGHT THEY BATTER FORWARD

The Greatest Bombarding Squadron Ever Assembled Smashing Defenses of Constantinople

LANDING PARTIES HELP THE WORK

Fighting Between Sailors and Moslem Infantry in Progress on Plains of Troy

LONDON, March 1.—Sixteen miles inside the Dardanelles, the greatest fleet ever assembled for a bombardment, is smashing the defense of Constantinople into ruins today. A lighthouse south of Fort Kilid Bahr, on the European side, has been demolished. Hurling 1,950 pound projectiles, the mammoth dreadnaught Queen Elizabeth already has inflicted severe damage on the fort itself, one of the strongest in eastern Europe.

Mahomet's centuries-long hold upon the Dardanelles is being slowly loosened. French monoplanes are darting over the plains of ancient Troy, on reconnoitering expeditions. Fighting between landing parties and Turkish infantry is occurring within a mile of Achilles' tomb.

To Save Isthmus

Unconfirmed reports say the allies will seize the isthmus at its narrowest part, near Bulair, and cut the European forts off from communication with Constantinople. One report had it that this feat actually had been accomplished by landing parties in the Gulf or Seros. Military experts, however, did not credit it.

From Athens and Cairo came today dispatches indicating that the Ottoman capital is in a state of terror. The Turkish general staff has summarily halted the Turkish campaigns in the Caucasus and along the Suez canal. A Cairo dispatch said the Turks are evacuating Sinai peninsula abandoning some of the guns they dragged across the desert for an assault upon the canal.

The Angli-French fleet has suffered small damage thus far. Superior in gun range, the larger fighting units are hammering at the Turkish forts from a distance and shells fired in reply fall short.

Turks Losses 5,000

Turkish losses in the bombardment thus far, total 5,000 dead and wounded, according to a cablegram from Salonika today. Troop trains from Constantinople are clogging the railways on the European side, and the Turkish wounded lie behind the forts, without medical attention.

Artillery detachments which landed on the European side of the entrance and ran up the British and French flags over the captured Turkish positions are moving northward to attack Kilid Bahr from the rear.

Rumania Worried

BERLIN, via Wireless to Sayville, March 1.—Rumania is alarmed over the possibility that Russia may gain Constantinople and dominate the Dardanelles, in event of a victory for the allies, according to dispatches received here. A Rumania deputy, it was declared, has interpelated the government on the recent declaration of M. Sazanoff, Russian minister of foreign affairs, that the czar hopes to retain the Ottoman capital after the war.

Weather

Temperatures yesterday:
High, 32.
Low, 12.
Precipitation, 0.

Forecast for La Crosse and vicinity: Fair tonight and probably Tuesday. Rising temperature.

For Wisconsin: Fair tonight and Tuesday. Not much change in temperature.

For Minnesota: Mostly cloudy tonight and Tuesday; probably unsettled Tuesday.

For Iowa: Increasing cloudiness tonight and Tuesday; probably rain or snow west portion. Rising temperature.

Weather Conditions

The weather is fair this morning in all sections but with considerable cloudiness in the plains states and at coast stations. The temperature is generally below the seasonal normal east of the Mississippi river, about normal in the plains states and somewhat below normal in the extreme northwest.

The pressure is high east of the Rocky mountains, except along the Atlantic coast, and below normal west of the Rocky mountains.

These pressure conditions will cause fair weather in this section tonight and probably Tuesday, with slightly higher temperature.

Barron's

DOLLAR DAY

Inducements

Fibre Rugs and Grass Rugs, 30x60, 36x72 inch, only

$1.00

20c pure Linen Handkerchiefs, embroidered corners, 6 for

$1.00

Hand Painted Dishes, sold at from $2.00 to $7.00, at

$1.00

Greatest bargain we have ever offered in our basement

27 inch Flouncings of fine Swiss, bought to sell at 65c and 75c per yard, Wednesday, Dollar day, 2 yards for

$1.00

Ladies' knee length Knit Skirts, pure wool, natural color only, $1.50 quality, at

$1.00

Pure Linen, hand made Lace Cluny Center Pieces at

$1.00

A very special bargain.

Natural color pure Linen Center with linen lace edge, 24 and 30 inch round, $1.75 quality, at

$1.00

Sunfast Draperies, all colors, at per yard

$1.00

One lot of Ladies' Wrappers and House Dresses at

$1.00

These Prices Are For This One Day ONLY

HOUSTON, MINN.

HOUSTON, Minn., March 6.—(Special.)—Mrs. G. L. Schonlau entertained the "T. B." club Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Briggs entertained about thirty of their friends at their home Friday evening. Five hundred was played. At a late hour lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Julsrud entertained at a party Friday afternoon in honor of their daughter Hjordis's birthday. A large birthday cake lighted with five candles, besides a delicious lunch, was enjoyed by the little ones.

Oscar Johnson and Miss Olga Hostvet were married at the Lutheran parsonage Wednesday. The groom has rented the M. H. Forsyth farm, onto which they will move.

C. Iverson left this week for his home at Wolford, N. D. His wife will remain for some time.

Miss Edna Onstine has been visiting her cousins at La Crosse.

Mrs. G. E. Steves has returned from a month's visit with her sister at Warrod, Minn.

Miss Elma Lilly who has been staying with Geneva Rank at a La Crosse hospital, has returned.

R. E. Briggs of Rochester, spent Sunday with his wife here.

Miss Edna Hvambsal, G. E. Steves and wife, J. R. Gordon and Thomas Chapel spent Saturday at La Crosse.

Miss Ethel McMillan of Byron, Minn., spent the week end at home.

Miss Pearl Zeches entertained her sister on Sunday.

Alfred Redding of Bingham Lake, is visiting relatives.

Miss Helen Amidon, Dyllone Hempstead and Allen Whitehouse won in the declamatory contest Thursday evening.

Gale Rank and M. Olson of Mabel will build a garage in our village next to the power plant. They intend to begin the building as soon as possible.

Miss Genevieve Rank has returned from a La Crosse hospital where she successfully underwent an operation.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children

In Use For Over 30 Years

Always bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

RELIEF SHIP TO SAIL

BOSTON, March 1.—The New England Belgian committee announced today that a second relief ship for Belgium will be ready to sail within twenty-four hours.

To Cure Catarrh Purify the Blood

Reason it Out, Where Does it Start the Mucus From?



Innumerable catarrh sufferers have cured themselves by purifying their blood with S. S. S. Catarrh often invades the entire system before it chokes the nasal passages. It becomes so chronic and extensive that the stomach, liver, kidneys, bronchial tubes and most of the glands are involved without such serious conditions being realized. Catarrh may be the result of some serious blood trouble of former years, and this is only one of the many peculiar effects of impure blood. Now S. S. S., in its influence upon the mucous surfaces, causes those catarrhal secretions to be changed or converted into a substance easily, quickly, and naturally expelled from the body. It so changes this mucus that it is not the ropy, clogging stuff that plugs the nose, chokes the throat, causes severe bowel trouble, upsets the stomach and contaminates the food just entering the blood. It is often difficult to convince catarrh sufferers that chronic cough, chest pains, gagging, fetid breath and other symptoms are only the local evidence of deep seated trouble. Get a bottle of S. S. S. today and try it. You will get good results, real benefit and soon be aware of a gradual cleaning up and a check to the progress and dangers of catarrh. Avoid substitutes. S. S. S. is prepared only by The Swift Specific Co., 61 Swift Bldg., Atlanta, Ga. They conduct a medical department for free advice that is worth while consulting.



Daddy's Bedtime Story — About the Little Girl Who Did Not Believe.

And Then Took Her on His Knee.

"ONCE upon a time," began daddy as the kiddies ran to him for the evening story, "there was a little girl who liked fairy stories very, very much.

"But you know, kiddies, she had a funny little brain that wouldn't let her believe these wonderful tales. But she wanted to believe them, just as her brothers and sisters and all her little cousins and friends did.

"This little girl was a German fraulein and lived in Berlin, where the great Jacob Grimm lived, who wrote 'Grimm's Fairy Tales.'

"One night this little girl's mother read a very pretty fairy tale, the last of which went something like this:

"'Whoever refuses to believe this story owes me a thaler,' which is German for about forty or fifty cents in our money.

Little Gertrude pondered upon the ending of this story for a long time, and then she went to her little bank and took out all the money she had in it.

"It wasn't quite a thaler, but it was all she had. After taking this money from the bank she slipped away from the other people, got her little red hood and cape out of the closet, softly opened the door and crept downstairs.

"It was rather late for little Gertrude, who had never been in the streets alone before at night. But she scampered down the street, when she met a man and asked this man if he could tell her where Herr Grimm lived.

"The man knew, but he thought a little girl should not be out so late alone, so he offered to accompany her to the house of the fairy tale writer.

"When they arrived there the man knocked on the door, and when a maid opened it the little girl asked timidly for the fairy tale writer.

"Herr Grimm, hearing the timid little girl's voice, appeared himself at the door and asked her very kindly to enter.

"The story writer had a very kind face and twinkly eyes behind shining, big, round horn spectacles, and he asked the little girl into his study, where a big fire was blazing, and then he took her on his knee and asked her what he could do for her.

"Then she dug into her pocket, got out her little handkerchief, untied the knots in it and offered him the money.

"'What is this for?' asked the man.

"'Cause I don't believe that fairy story you wrote, and so I brought you all the money I had, 'cause you said that any one that didn't believe it owed you a thaler.'

"Then how that story writer man and the other man did laugh!"

Museum of Daily Facts and Freaks

Milwaukee Heathens Lead Fiji

BELOIT, Wis.—Rev. H. D. Davies of Wauwatosa, Wis., assured a local congregation that there are more heathens in Milwaukee than there are in the Fiji islands.

Suggests Strong-Arm Campaign

NEW YORK.—"Iff every woman would do as I have done, there would be fewer men like this on Broadway," said Miss Beatrice Waldeck, a singer, after she had knocked a man down who annoyed her.

Did He Catch It?

NEW YORK.—"We're strangers and are afraid of losing our money," said two men to Francisco Casipere, a farmer. "So am I," returned Casipere, pulling out $200. A moment later he was chasing his $200 up the street.

Thief Returns Kiddies Picture

NEW YORK.—"Golly," a famous pickininny Christmas painting, has been returned to the owner. The thief sent a note along, saying he did not know it was to cheer the "kiddies," or he wouldn't have stolen it.

Harness Galls on Harness Bulls

PITTSBURG. — Policemen here have lost 10 to 20 pounds each, saggering under the sixteen pound winter coats, made partly of asbestos and felt. Some have shoulder corns and harness gills.

Pays $50 for Milk Wagon Dash

CHICAGO—Mrs. Al H. Woods paid a milk wagon driver $50 to rush her back to the station where she had left $5,000 worth of jewels in her Pullman berth. She recovered the sparklers.

STRINGENT BOOZE LAWS

CHARLESTON, W. Va., March 1.—The new law which went into effect today will make it very inconvenient to procure liquor in this state. After this date common carriers will not be allowed to bring intoxicants into the state, or to transport it from part to another. Any persons bringing it in for their own use must have the container labelled if it is over one-half gallon. Liquor may be carried in from Ohio and Pennsylvania, but Kentucky and Virginia are dry in the adjoining counties. The man living inland is in a bad way of getting his "booze."

TAKES PHILADELPHIA CHURCH

PHILADELPHIA, March 1.—The Rev. Dr. John Mockridge, vicar of Trinity parish, New York, today began his new duties as rector of St. James' Protestant Episcopal church, one of the oldest and wealthiest congregations of this city. He succeeded the Rev. Dr. William C. Richardson, who died last summer while on his vacation.

The TRIBUNE'S Daily Short Story

IN THE TRENCHES

BY DOROTHY BLACKMORE

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"The enemy is in your trenches again, Sis,' cried Teddy Herbert to his sister, who had not yet come down to breakfast.

"Dear, dear!" he heard her exclaim, and then he heard hurried footsteps and saw Mattie run down stairs, pick up a coat that was lying on a chair in the hall, and slam the front door after her.

"Mat's some hustler when she wants to,' he remarked to his mother, who sat behind the coffee pot at the table.

"Indeed she is, and I feel sorry she has this trouble to contend with just now when she was showing such enthusiasm on so practical a subject," sighed Mrs. Herbert.

"Look at her chase those chickens!" laughed Teddy, pulling aside the dining room curtain and looking out into the garden spot at the side of the Herbert home.

Four sixty-foot trenches lay open and Mattie was running back and forth chasing away the neighbors' chickens. The fresh fertilizer which had been placed so carefully in each of the trenches was scattered everywhere, and dismay was written all over the girl's face when she turned to come into the house.

"It's a shame!" she said, as she took her place at the table, breathing hard, but looking as fresh as a rose after her exercise in the invigorating March air. "And this one year when I had planned so much on my sweet peas and have followed directions so carefully. What shall I do, mother?"

"Shoot the chickens,' suggested Teddy.

'This isn't the war, Teddy,' his sister said, squelchingly. "These are sweet pea trenches."

"But if it were not for the war, my dears," sighed Mrs. Herbert again, "we would not feel the necessity for having these trenches so carefully planted. I believe Mattie can make a success of her flowers if—"

"If I can gather up my nerve and go next door to interview the neighbors about their chickens," Mattie said. "I could do it this minute, I believe."

Mrs. Herbert raised a protesting hand. "No, dear, not in this frame of mind. You might say something—not neighborly."

Mattie bit a large piece of toast off the slice she had taken and chewed it vehemently as if to express her sentiments. "It's the only time I can go—when I'm in this frame of mind—when I've just returned from looking at that wasted time and energy and money out there! It's the third time those chickens have come over here and scratched up my trenches, and it is absolutely necessary that I leave them open for a few days to warm up before I plant the seeds. Now—what am I to do?"

"I pass," said Teddy, getting up from the table. "It's not my funeral, Mat. So long!" And with that he was gone. Teddy was not old enough to let the family worries lie on his shoulders.

Mattie and her mother were finishing breakfast in silence when they heard the knocker on the front door. "I'll go,' said Mattie, as her mother started to rise.

"I—I am George Davis—next door, you know. I just saw you chasing my chickens out of your garden. I—"

"Come in, please," said Mattie, opening wide the door to the young man who was introducing himself.

"You see, I've come to stay with my brother next door for a while since my firm saw fit to cut down expenses by letting me out of a job and—well, to tell the truth, I thought my brother didn't know how to get the most out of his chickens and I've taken them in hand for a few days. He's never home and my sister is busy with the baby so—my chickens have been in your trenches owing to my folly. I apologize and will see that it does not happen again."

"Oh, don't worry!" Mattie hastened to say. "Of course, I—well, I have worked so hard with that fertilizer this spring, hoping to realize something from my sweet peas, and it has been rather disconcerting—"

"Disconcerting!" interrupted Davis. "That is polite. If I'd been in your place I think I would have blessed the whole houseful of neighbors. Did you?" he laughed.

Mattie joined him. "Perhaps you would call it blessing. I hadn't thought of it in that light. But now you won't worry, will you? I'll get out this morning and try to plant the seeds, and then—"

"Then if my chickens dig them up I needn't show my face again in this neighborhood?"

Mattie nodded, laughing. "That's it," she said.

With a few more words of apology George Davis left, and Mattie Herbert knew that she liked him and was glad that he was to be a neighbor.

That morning, when she was busy out of doors trying to repair the damage done to her trenches, George Davis looked over the hedge which separated the gardens. "It is I who should be doing that," he ventured.

"You may help," Mattie said, quickly.

The young man joined her with alacrity. He had expected her to say, "Oh, no, I wouldn't hear of such a thing," which would have been the conventional answer.

A few hours' work with her assured him that Mattie Herbert was not conventional, that she was the most original and charming girl he had met.

She told him of her plan to raise splendid, large sweet peas, prolong their season as far as possible and get a contract from a fashionable hotel in town to supply its afternoon tea tables with blossoms in separate colors. She was so confident of success that George Davis could not but help seeing her proposition in her own way.

Spring came and went, and June brought the looked-for blossoms in the Herbert's garden. The four sixty-foot trenches were a riot of bloom, and some stems held four blossoms of gigantic proportions.

Mattie and her mother and even Teddy picked sweet peas night and morning, and Mattie herself attended to the shipping. But a hot spell came upon them when the sweet peas, if they were to last during their allotted season, needed much water and more attention than the small family could give them. It was then that Mattie called upon her neighbor for help.

"I can't offer you much in return for your help, which I need badly," the girl said, frankly, "but I think if you are still out of a position you and I could do a small business together with your chickens and our ground."

"I don't need any pay for helping you," David said earnestly. "I should love to do it."

"Well, do it, for the time being and we'll talk of my plans later," Mattie told him.

And later they worked out a scheme of successive raising of table commodities for which they knew of ready and accessible markets. And while they worked on this scheme and carried it out, season by season, they fell in love with each other.

One day he told her of his love and of what he had hoped her answer might be.

"My answer is yes, of course," Mattie said. "But we must continue to be partners in business as well as in our home. I—well, I'm glad the war brought to you and to me the necessity for earning our living together. For it was the exigencies of the war situation that brought us together, wasn't it?" she asked.

"Yes, it was the enemy in your trenches, dear," he said, laughing.

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ACID IN STOMACH SOURS THE FOOD

Says Excess of Hydrochloric Acid is Cause of Indigestion

A well-known authority states that stomach trouble and indigestion is nearly always due to acidity—acid stomach—and not, as most folks believe, from a lack of digestive juices. He states that an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach retards digestion and starts food fermentation, then our meals sour like garbage in a can, forming acrid fluids and gases which inflate the stomach like a toy balloon. We then get that heavy, lumpy feeling in the chest, we eructate sour food, belch gas, or have heartburn, flatulence, waterbrash, or nausea.

He tells us to lay aside all digestive aids and instead, get from any pharmacy four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast while it is effervescing, and furthermore, to continue this for one week. While relief follows the first dose, it is important to neutralize the acidity, remove the gas-making mass, start the liver, stimulate the kidneys and thus promote a free flow of pure digestive juices.

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January Daily Average **7,721**

1—Fri	7,686	16—Sat	7,735
2—Sat	7,716	17—Sunday.	
3—Sunday.		18—Mon	7,728
4—Mon	7,709	19—Tues	7,731
5—Tues	7,724	20—Wed	7,722
6—Wed	7,711	21—Thur	7,717
7—Thur	7,702	22—Fri	7,722
8—Fri	7,721	23—Sat	7,737
9—Sat	7,716	24—Sunday.	
10—Sunday		25—Mon	7,728
11—Mon	7,728	26—Tues	7,715
12—Tues	7,742	27—Wed	7,743
13—Wed	7,731	28—Thur	7,731
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HISTORY REPEATING

The repetitions of history might become valuable did we learn from history how to meet recurrent events. Perhaps, in some things, civilization has learned. Perhaps this nation has learned.

In the existing commercial controversy which has now involved the seizure of the Dacia, we are going through much the same experience that led up to the war of 1812, and if we shall keep out of war and save our dignity, it may be said that experience has instructed us.

From that simple narrative, Ridpath's History, it may be learned that the "paper blockade," seizure of American ships and general interference with our commerce existed. The historian says:

During Jefferson's second administration the country was constantly agitated by the aggressions of the British navy on American commerce. England and France were engaged in deadly and continuous war. In order to cripple the resources of their enemy, the British authorities struck blow after blow against the trade between France and foreign nations; and Napoleon retaliated with equal energy and vindictiveness against the commerce of Great Britain. The measures adopted by the two powers took the form of blockade—that is, the surrounding of each other's ports with men-of-war to prevent the ingress and egress of neutral ships. By such means the commerce of the United States, which had grown vast and valuable while the European nations were fighting, was greatly injured and distressed.

In May of 1806 England declared the whole coast of France from Brest to the Elbe to be in a state of blockade. Neutral nations had no warning. Many American vessels, approaching the French ports, were seized and condemned as prizes; all this, too, while the harbors of France were not actually, but only declared to be, blockaded. In the following November, Bonaparte issued a decree blockading the British Isles. Again the unsuspecting merchantmen of the United States were subjected to seizure, this time by the cruisers of France. In January of the next year the government of Great Britain retaliated by an act prohibiting the French coasting-trade. Every one of these measures was in flagrant violation of the laws of nations. The belligerent powers had no right to take such steps toward each other; as to neutral states, their rights were utterly disregarded; and the nation that suffered most was the United States, for at this time she was the carrier for the whole world.

Very much the same course is now being pursued. Omitting a portion devoted to search of American ships and seizure of our seamen for British naval service, we proceed to the following paragraph in which mention is made of American retaliation quite like that now contemplated by President Wilson:

The president at once issued a proclamation forbidding British ships of war to enter the harbors of the United States. Still, there was no reparation; and on the 21st of December congress passed the celebrated embargo act, which cost Mr. Jefferson much of his popularity. By its provisions all American vessels were detained in the ports of the United States. The object was, by cutting off commercial intercourse with France and Great Britain, to compel them to recognize the rights of American neutrality. But the measure was of little avail; and after fourteen months the embargo act was repealed. (Note: The embargo act was the subject of much ridicule. The opponents of the measure, spelling the word backward, called it the O grab me act). Meanwhile, in November of 1808, the British government outdid all previous proceedings by issuing an "order in council," prohibiting ALL trade with France and her allies. And Napoleon, not to be outdone, issued his famous "Milan decree," forbidding all commerce with England and her colonies. Between these outrageous acts of foreign nations and the American embargo, the commerce of the United States was well-nigh crushed out of existence. The harbors were filled with rotting ships. Stores of grain and other produce were lying in barns and warehouses. New England especially suffered, and from this time until even today America has no extensive merchant marine.

We now step into Madison's administration. It will be seen that, in another form, the embargo was continued, while British oppression stubbornly continued:

The new president was inaugurated on the 4th of March, 1809. He had been a member of the continental congress, a delegate to the constitutional convention of 1787, and secretary of state under Jefferson. Long familiarity with public affairs had fitted him in an eminent degree for the presidency. He owed his election to the democratic party, whose sympathy with France and hostility to the policy of Great Britain were well known. Six days before the new administration came into power the embargo act was repealed by congress; but another measure was adopted instead, called the non-intercourse act. By its terms American merchantmen were allowed to go abroad, but were forbidden to trade with Great Britain. Mr. Erskine, the British minister, now gave notice that by the 10th of June the "orders in council," so far as they affected the United States, should be repealed. But the British government disavowed the act of its agent; and the orders stood as before.

In the following spring the emperor issued a decree authorizing the seizure of all American vessels that might approach the ports of France or other harbors held by his troops. But on November of the same year the hostile decree was reversed, and all restrictions on the commerce of the United States were removed. If Great Britain had acted with equal liberality and justice, there would have been no further complaint. But that government, with peculiar obstinacy, adhered to its former measures, and sent ships of war to hover around the American ports and enforce the odious orders issued in previous years. It was only a question of time when such insolence would lead to retaliation and war.

Surely, history is repeating itself so far as the commercial phase of our foreign relations is concerned. In the former incident, which ended in war, there was the greater aggravation of the seizures of American citizens. But, aside from that, it was right there that the English destroyed the merchant marine which this country has never been able to restore.

Leach Cross had to cancel a fight because of a boil in his nose, which made Leach cross.

Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

Statesmen of the G. O. P.
With the presidential bee,
Jump on Woodrow Wilson every day
In a most alarming way.
'Tis the accusation season,
Everything we ever heard before,
Is laid right at Wilson's door.
They abuse him, without stint,
And they ask for "leave to print,"
So their speeches can be sent
Back to the constituent.
'Tis the customary flurry.
As to Woodrow, he should worry.
For the reason doth appear,
Next comes presidential year.
It would be a serious blunder
Not to have some campaign thunder.
No news about the statesmen's speeches.
That's enough, for they are peaches.

Land Come High

Some real estate dealers in British Columbia were accused of having victimized English and Scotch settlers by selling to them at long range fruit ranches which were situated on the tops of mountains. It is said of a steamboat on Kootenay lake once heard a great splash in the water. Looking over the rail, he spied the head of a man who was swimming toward his boat. He hailed him.

"Do you know," said the swimmer, "this is the third time today that I've fallen off that bally old ranch of mine!"

Need No Help

A tourist, traveling in the north of Scotland, far from anywhere, exclaimed to a native:

"Why, what do you do when any of you are ill? You can never get a doctor."

"Nae, sir," replied Sandy. "We've jist to dee a nattural death."

Pop-Pop for Ben-Hur

Tragedian—You tell me, sirrah, that I am behind the times.

Manager—Yes. You come with me. I'm going to produce a modern version of "Ben-Hur," with motorcycles for the principals in the chariot race. —Judge.

Sure of Bait

"Is she going to marry the young man who saved her from drowning?"

"I think so."

"But is she sure that he is able to support her in the style to which she has been accustomed?"

"Yes, she looked him up in Bradstreet's before she fell in."

In High Finances

A West Virginia darky, a blacksmith, recently announced a change in his business as follows:

"Notice—De co-pardnership heretofore resisting between me and Mose Skinner is hereby resolved. Dem what owe de firm will settle wid me, and dem what de firm owes will settle wid Mose."

Retreat Is Useless

The war was being discussed from all angles at the regular Saturday night meeting of the Gin and Possum Colored Gentlemen's Social club.

"Yas, suh!" announced Pomp Dawson, with a wise look in his rolling eyes, "dem Guhmans has got guns dat'll shoot an' shoot tuh kill at twenty-fi' miles."

"Huh?" asked Brother Jackson, cocking his head.

"Yes, suh ½" went on Pomp. "Dey not on'y shoot twenty-fi' miles, but dey kill at twenty-fi' miles."

"Great land!" gasped Jackson. "Feller'd run all day an' git killed 'bout supper time, wouldn't he?"—Life.

Not Scotch Collie

A teacher in an Englewood school asked the other day:

"How many kinds of flowers are there?"

Three pupils held up their hands. She chose one to reply.

"Well, Isidore, how many kinds of flowers are there?"

"Three, teacher."

"Indeed? And what are they?"

"Wild, tame an' collie."

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LONDON PONY SHOW

LONDON, March 1.—The National Pony society, the Hunters' Improvement society and the Hackney Horse society began a show at the Royal Agricultural Hall here today which will continue for a week. Tuesday and Wednesday are set apart for the hunter and horse section. Thursday for the pony section, and Friday and Saturday for the hackney.

MILITANTS TO FRONT?

BERLIN, via Wireless to Sayville, L. I., March 1.—Two battalions of English Suffragettes have been landed in Havre, France, according to the official press bureau. The press bureau asserted that the suffragettes will drive motors cars, relieving male drivers who will be sent to the battle front.

STATE SELLS PHEASANTS

ALBANY, N. Y., March 1.—The acceptance of applications for pheasants' eggs will be closed today. The eggs will be distributed in April. The young birds are not sent out until late in July. Chief Protector Legge will send out mother birds with broods, believing that in this way better results may be obtained. Sportsmen's clubs, farmers and others interested in the work of increasing the supply of pheasants in the state have indicated a hearty co-operation with the commission.

The Best of Chester

A TALE OF RED ROSES

By Geo. Randolph Chester
Author of Get-Rich-Quick Wallingford, Etc.

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He turned to go when, in the adjoining window, he caught sight of a little, low, coloniar coupe, with seating capacity for three. It was of an exquisitely beautiful shape, with small, latticed window-panes and dainty lace curtains. He walked slowly toward it, his habitually cold gray eyes brightening, and as he stood before it, he thrust his hands deep in his pockets and positively laughed aloud.

"That's our newest ladies' car," explained the salesman, following him. "The women are crazy about them; self-starting, electric lights inside, shopping flaps everywhere, adjustable satin seat coverings, and all the latest boudoir improvements."

Sledge scarcely heard him. He was still laughing. Nothing he had ever seen had struck him so humorously as the "cuteness" of this car.

"It's swell!" he chuckled. "Got a red one?"

"No, they're only made in black," the salesman told him. "The color effects are obtained by the cushion coverings and silk curtains."

"Put red ones in this. Got another one?"

"There's one just being set up in the shop," stated the overjoyed salesman. "It's an order."

"Make that one blue."

"Do you want them this afternoon?" asked the clerk, figuring that it was worth while to put off the other customer.

"Sure!" said Sledge. "Right away."

"I'll get busy immediately," promised the salesman, delirious with happiness. "Where do they go?"

"Molly Marley gets the red one. The blue one's for her friend Fern. Nix on who sent 'em."

"They'll want to know," the salesman insisted.

"Aw, tell 'em Frank Marley."

He dropped out as stolidly as he had come in, and headed for the Occident, but, half-way there, he turned back and stopped at a florist's.

"What are they wearing to Hamlet?" he wanted to know.

"It depends largely on the lady's costume," the florist explained.

"I get you," returned Sledge, with a worried expression. "Say, you make up eight or ten fussy bouquets, all different kinds. Send 'em out to Frank Marley's house in time for the theater."

Just across the street from the florist's was the largest jewelry shop in town, and the display in the windows gave him an idea. He strode in, asked for the proprietor, and got him.

"I want a rock that weighs about a pound," he stated.

"A diamond? Yes, Mr. Sledge. Something for an emblem?"

"Naw! Lady's ring. Solitaire."

"We have some beauties," bragged the jeweler, immediately aglow with enthusiasm. "Here is a nice little three-carat stone, which is flawless and perfectly cut."

"Is this the best you got?" inquired Sledge, looking into the case.

"We have some larger ones unset, but they are not usually mounted in ladies' rings," responded the jeweler, struggling between his artistic conscience and his commercialism.

"Let's see 'em."

Reverently, the jeweler produced from his safe a covered and locked tray, on which, on white velvet reposed a dozen sparkling white stones. Sledge poked a stuffy forefinger at the largest one:

"Is this one right?" he wanted to know.

"It's a very good stone," the jeweler told him. "The next one to it, however, though a trifle smaller, is of much finer quality; in fact, we have not one in the shop of any size which I consider so perfect as this one. It's worth five hundred dollars more than the large one."

"That'll do," Sledge decided. "Put it in a ring."

"Very well," agreed the jeweler, trying to be nonchalant, as he consulted a slip of paper in the edge of the tray. "This stone weighs six and three-eighths carats, plus a sixteenth, Mr. Sledge. Have you the size of the ring?"

"Naw!" he returned, in disgust at his own thoughtlessness. "I'll take it loose," and he slipped the stone in his waistcoat pocket.

CHAPTER XXXII

Molly Insists on Protecting Bert

Bert Glider strode through the Marley gate, and trod on the Marley porch, and punched the Marley doorbell in a fine condition of manly indignation, and he demanded of the emaciated butler with the intellectual brow that Molly Marley be brought into his presence at once. He waited in the library, while the butler went upstairs with hasty message, and it was no comfort to his soul whatsoever to hear the girls devoting painstaking attention to an apparently endless job of giggling.

With scant consideration for the importance of the occasion, Molly, her face flushed, and her eyes glistening with moisture from her recent earnest efforts, came down when she was ready, and she was still tittering, while Fern, up-stairs, could be heard in the throes of frantic laughter.

"Hello, Bert," laughed Molly, holding her hand to her jaw, and she sat down weakly. "What's the mad rush?"

"What did you say to Sledge?" he sternly demanded.

Her most immediate reply to that was another half-hysterical outburst.

"I'm not quite sure," she giggled. "Fern and I have just been trying to recall it all, but we can only remember the funniest things."

"You've made a fool of him and of me!" snickered Bert hotly.

"We don't deserve any credit for that," snickered Molly. "It's so easy."

"The man has taken too much for granted," went on Bert, unsoftened by all this hilarity, and, indeed, made only more indignant by it. "From what your father says, Sledge seems to believe that our engagement is off, and that he has been practically accepted."

Molly put her hand over her mouth to suppress a shriek, and running out into the hall, called Fern. The girls met half-way up the stairway, where Molly explained the glad news, and Bert, stalking stolidly out there, found them holding to the balustrade, in order that their enjoyment of Sledge's obtuse understanding might not tumble them down the steps. He strode back into the library, and barked his shin on a rocker. Molly returned to him presently for more.

"I've been missing my red roses," she confessed. "Now I suppose I'll get some more. What else does he think?"

"Heaven knows," snapped Bert. "He says he's going to the theater with you tonight. Is that correct?"

(To be Continued)

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Metal Paints
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Tar Coating.

WAR ON CHARBON

BATON ROUGE, La., March 1.—Livestock owners are urged to vaccinate their animals against charbon this spring, commencing not later than today, in a circular letter just issued by the Louisiana Livestock Sanitary board. A general saving of animals will result in the opinion of the experts of the sanitary board.

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5 yards of 25c White Voile.
4 yards of 35c White Voile.
3 yards of 50c White Voile.
2 yards of 75c White Voile.
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House Dresses to $1.95.
Wash Dresses to $12.50.
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$1.50 Black Sateen Petticoats.
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3 pair of 50c Silk Hose.
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$2.00 Corsets.
2 Brassieres, 75 cent values.

WIFE OF ALLEGED SPY IS ARRESTED

Claims "Frame-up" When German Reporter Calls Police to Hotel Rooms Occupied with Her

NEW YORK, March 1.—Mrs. Richard P. Stegler was discharged in court today. The charge of felonious assault was dismissed.

NEW YORK, March 1.—Mrs. Richard P. Stegler, wife of Richard P. Stegler, the former German reservist who is now in Tombs prison in the passport fraud case, spent last night in a cell, and was today scheduled to face a judge on a charge of felonious assault, brought by Arthur W. Mateikat, a reporter for a German newspaper, who alleges Mrs. Stegler hit him on the head with a cane and threw a seltzer bottle at him.

She was arrested in a suite of rooms occupied by Mateikat and herself, at the Hotel Grenoble. They entered the hotel about 11 o'clock and Mateikat called the police about 1:30.

Mrs. Stegler said she had been "framed" because of her confessions in the passport fraud case. She told a straightforward story to the police.

"He says I injured his head. Look at it—does it show any bruises—"

Examination failed to reveal any.

Mrs. Stegler was fully dressed when detectives arrived.

Mrs. Stegler said she was induced to go to the hotel with Mateikat by his promise to reveal to her certain "important news" about the passport case.

Won't Make Charges Issue

WASHINGTON, March 1.—President Wilson personally will pass upon all of the allegations against officials of the German embassy that they have violated diplomatic ethics and the neutrality of this government.

This has been decided on, but it was emphatically denied today that there is any intention of making an issue of these or any other charges. If it shall be shown that any of these officials have abused the United States' hospitality, the facts in the case will be presented to the German government and it will decide for itself what it wants to do. The recall of the officials will not be asked.

It was stated today at the departments of state and justice at the Whitehouse that the investigation of the allegation that Captain Boy-Ed and Captain von Papen, military attache of the German embassy, is far from finished. The German embassy has officially characterized the allegation that its officials have been maintaining a secret service bureau here, and dealing in fraudulent passports, as "blackmail" and its statements will have great weight officially.

CAN'T CONNECT MAN WITH KILLING

Suspect Arrested in Chicago Convinces Police He Did Not Kill the Aurora Grl

AURORA, Ill., March 1.—Following a gruelling examination of Frank Ramsey, arrested on Friday night in Chicago, the police on Saturday gave up attempts to connect him with the murder of pretty Emma Peterson, clubbed to death near former United States Senator Hopkins' home Thursday night. They merely drew from Ramsey information tending to connect him with robbery of C. W. Marble, Middletown, Conn., traveling salesman.

Bloodhounds led searchers to an upturned canoe which the murderer is believed to have entered and then paddled down Fox river in a cunning effort to elude pursuit by dogs. But after trailing the scent from the canoe to a high abutment, all trace was lost, and the police were as much at sea as when they started the man hunt.

EMPLOYES MUST PAY RENT

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Under a presidential order effective today, employes of the Panama canal and the Panama railroad will have to pay rent and buy fuel and electric current after today. Heretofore they have been supplied free of cost.

The change follows the creation of a permanent force of employes for the operation of the canal in place of the floating labor used since the United States undertook construction of the waterway. The effect of today's order is to substantially diminish the comparatively high scale of compensation which marked the construction period.

Where employes have to live in certain designated quarters, one-half the rental will be remitted, and where quarters' compensation of army or navy officers is not sufficient to cover rent the difference will be remitted.

BIG HORSE SALE

NEW YORK, March 1.—The Fasig-Tipton Co., today began a four day sale of saddle and carriage horses. The sale will include all of the horses of one of the successful exhibitors at the last horse show.

SERVICE FOR PROBE ENDS

NEW YORK, March 1.—The public service probe practically ended today. A speedy report is promised and it is believed that there will be some important recommendations and sensational exposures.



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AGED TREMPEALEAU WOMAN PASSES AWAY

TREMPEALEAU, Wis., March 1.—(Special. — Mrs. Maria Altenberg, 79 years of age, one of the oldest residents of Trempealeau, died at her home in this city at 11 o'clock, Monday night. Mrs. Altenberg was born in Genesee, N. Y., September 19, 1835.

She had been in poor health for some time and her death was not unexpected.

She is survived by six daughters. One son, Albert, died at Albert Lea last September.

Funeral services were held at the home Thursday afternoon, Rev. Wilkinson officiating.

Arch Ray is employed for the week at Trempealeau Mercantile store. Mr. Growt is spending the week visiting neighboring schools.

Mrs. William Rhodes returned to her home at Seattle, Friday. Mrs. Rhodes was called here some time ago by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Altenberg.

The home of W. F. Raymond was the scene of a very pleasant social gathering Saturday evening, when a number of friends surprised Mrs. Raymond, bringing a picnic supper with them.

Mrs. Florence Sands, Winona, returned to her home Friday after a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Putnam.

Roy Brayton, La Crosse, visited friends in town Thursday.

Sherman Dudley of West Salem visited at the home of William Nicholls Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Babbitt have moved here from Norwalk and will occupy the Emmet Wilcox farm east of town.

The Woodmen gave one of their popular dances at Woodman hall Wednesday evening. Harrington's orchestra furnished the music.

Mrs. C. H. Growt left for La Crosse Friday, where she attended the funeral of Miss Maude Rasmussen.

Max Sievert is contemplating establishing a ferry between Trempealeau and La Moille this spring. Mr. Sievert will also have a livery and feed stable in connection.

Mrs. William Nicholls returned from Dubuque Wednesday when she was called by the death of her sister.

Messrs. C. A. Dutton and William Nicholls spent Sunday and Monday in Minneapolis.

C. H. Growt, L. E. Putnam and Fern Atwood were sightseeing in Winona Monday.

Miss Mildred Carhart of West Prairie spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Carhart.

Mrs. Ollie Spear of La Crosse is visiting her mother, Mrs. S. M. Stangl.

The high school was entertained at Harley Townsend's Friday night.

Carroll Nicholls has been confined to his home this week by a severe cold.

Miss Lillian Stangl returned Saturday from La Crosse.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Keefe are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Keefe.

Miss Auline Nicholls of La Crosse spent the last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Nicholls.

Mr. and Mrs. Phelps returned to Onalaska Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Towner of Whitehall were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Towner Thursday.

WIRE SUPERINTENDENT OF UNITED PRESS IS DEAD

"Jim" Rafter, Old Time Star Operator and Fastest Sender in the Service for Many Years, Dies in Brooklyn

NEW YORK, March 1.—James J. Rafter, superintendent of telegraph for the United Press, and one of the best known operators in the United States, died at his home in Brooklyn today. He was 42 years old, and is survived by his father and mother, a wife, brother and four sisters.

Rafter was for eleven years the "star" operator for the old United Press and Publishers' Press. He became superintendent of telegraph for the new United Press in 1907. Up until four years ago, when he suffered a breakdown, "Jim" Rafter, the fastest, coolest sender in the United Press, was always the Morse man chosen to handle the leased wires at conventions, world's series games, football contests and other big stories. He prided himself on the number of "beats" which he had sent over the United Press leased wires.

Rafter died from a complication of diseases, following rheumatism. He realized a week ago that the end was near, and planned all his affairs with this idea in view. Interment will probably be at Kingston, N. Y.

DONATIONS FOR BELGIUM

BOSTON, Mass., March 1.—The Belgian Relief ship Lynotta sails today. She is laden with food and clothing which has been collected in New England. This is the second shipload that has gone from this port. For the Christmas shipload the most profound expressions of gratitude have been received from the stricken families that are living in Belgium.

Probably the largest satisfaction a man can enjoy is calling another's bluff.



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Mr. and Mrs. Philip D. Armour III, photographed at Coronado Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip D. Armour III are spending the first months following their marriage early in January at Coronado Beach, Cal., where they have taken an active part in the life of the resort. Mrs. Armour, who was formerly Miss Gwendolin Condon of New York, has been wearing a veil this season—the harem veil, as it is known in fashion journals—which has been much discussed.

DOLLAR DAYS

TODAY, Tuesday and WEDNESDAY

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5—25c 3x6 water color Shades $1.00	2 yards of 60c Lace Curtain material for only $1.00
3—45c 3x6 Oil Shades $1.00	12 Lace Curtain Extension Rods for only $1.00
5—25c Hand Painted Plates..$1.00	6—20c Lace Curtain Extension Rods for only $1.00
5—25c Salt and Peppers $1.00	$1.25 Dining Chairs for only...$1.00
3 pairs Lace Curtains for $1.00	10 yards Figured Scrim for...$1.00
$1.25 and $1.50 per pair Lace Curtains for only $1.00	4 yards 30c Scrim for only...$1.00
5 yards of 25c Lace Curtain material for only $1.00	$1.50 Pillows, per pair only..$1.00
3 yards of 40c Lace Curtain material for only $1.00	2—50c and one 25c bottles of Liquid Veneer for only $1.00

$1.00 buys $1.20 worth of goods in any department on Dollar Day as follows:

$60.00 purchase for $48.00	$30.00 purchase for $24.00
$55.00 purchase for $44.00	$25.00 purchase for $20.00
$50.00 purchase for $40.00	$20.00 purchase for $16.00
$45.00 purchase for $36.00	$15.00 purchase for $12.00
$40.00 purchase for $32.00	$10.00 purchase for $8.00
$35.00 purchase for $28.00	$5.00 purchase for $4.00

Good time to buy that Rug, Stove or piece of Furniture you planned on.

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CHURCH SOCIETY TO AID MEMBERS

German Lutheran Congregation at Chaseburg Forms Aid Society to Benefit Members in Need

CHASEBURG, Wis., March 1.—(Special)—At a meeting of the members of the German Lutheran church Thursday evening, an aid association was organized. Members will be admitted only from the congregation and these will receive a benefit sum in case of injury as will their relatives in case of death.

The following officers were chosen: President, John Hellwig; vice-president, A. J. Grosskopf; secretary, H. W. Schallert; treasurer, William Sieger.

A committee consisting of W. Schuster, Gus Schuster and Geo. Carson were also appointed to meet with the officers from time to time.

Y. P. S. Meets

The Y. P. S. met Thursday evening at the Harry Hoyt home. Various games were indulged in during the evening after which lunch was served. Nearly all of the members were present.

Personals

Roy Clawson transatced business in La Crosse Thursday.

Frank R. Mlsna and wife left Thursday for Cashton for a few days' visit with relatives.

Joseph Hohlfeldt and wife are spending the week at Cashton, the guests of relatives.

Miss Mildred Gardner was a La Crosse visitor Thursday.

William Schwake and family spent Thursday at Stoddard where they were the guests of relatives.

John Hellwig and wife returned on Thursday from a few days' visit with relatives in Stoddard.

Miss Esther Oehler and Gertrude Hosmer of La Crosse are spending a few days at the Oehler home.

John Martine transacted business in La Crosse Thursday.

Mrs. Louis Carson returned Thursday from a several days visit with relatives in La Crosse.

Keep the Children Bright and Happy

Happy youngsters must be healthy. The digestive organs of children get out of order as readily as do those of their elders, and the result is equally distressing. When the bowels are clogged with an accumulation of refuse from the stomach the child naturally becomes cross and fretful from the discomfort, and is often punished for temper when medical attention is really what is needed.

The next time your child is cross and unhappy, without apparent reason, try giving it a mild laxative. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is a mild, pleasant tasting combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin, and is especially recommended for children because of its freedom from all opiate or narcotic drugs and its gentle action. It is sold in drug stores everywhere. A free trial bottle can be obtained by writing to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 452 Washington St., Monticello, Ills.

EXPLOSIONS IMPERIL FIREMEN

CHICAGO, March 1.—Firemen, battling with flames swept before a high wind, at the varnish manufacturing establishment of Adams & Kelting, today were endangered by a series of chemical explosions that aided in wrecking the plant. Police suspect incendiaries.

WAR HAS UPSET THE ARITHMETIC

Pound Sterling No Longer Is Hard and Fast $4.86 in U. S. Coin but Varies Daily

TOO MUCH BUSINESS FOR U. S.

Over-balance of Exports has Created Big Slump in Demand for Foreign Exchange

BY CARLTON TEN EYCK
(Written for the United Press.)

NEW YORK, March 1.—"Four farthings are one pence, Twelve pence are one shilling, Twenty shillings make a pound."

The arithmetics taught that, but all Wall street is wondering every morning now just how much a pound is worth in dollars and cents, and exporters who figure their margins closely chuckle or curse, depending on how their contracts with European firms are drawn.

The cause of it is too much business, and the sudden swing of America from the red to the blue side of the ledger. Once we were in everybody's debt; now it is the other way, for exports are exceeding imports, and the balance of trade is in our favor.

A few days ago there was a flurry in the foreign exchange market. The story was on the financial pages, and those who do not depend on the markets for sustenance or amusement probably passed it by, but it meant much to Wall street and more to American exporters.

The busiest men in New York on the days the market broke were the heads of the foreign departments of the big banks.

"I have been working every night until 11 o'clock since the first break," said Max May, vice president of the Guaranty Trust company, who is in charge of that bank's foreign department. Cable boys raced in and out of his office and clerks hurled foreign drafts galore on his desk as he explained what 'demand sterling, 4.78 1-8" meant.

"It is simply a case of supply and demand," he said. "The balance of trade is all on our side now. We are exporting to Europe and importing only a little. There is more foreign exchange than demand for foreign exchange, and the European nations are holding on to their gold. We must take their paper."

To put it more plainly, a pound check, once worth $4.86 in American money, was worth, on the day the market slumped, only $4.79.

"No one can tell how long the condition will last," said May. "American exporters stand to lose large sums of money, if they agreed to accept pounds for their goods."

Other men in Wall street declared, however, that the "dollar exchange," instead of "sterling," is becoming more generally in use, and that many big concerns insisted on the former when they began to realize that big business might mean too much business unless payments were made in gold.

Exporters who billed their shipments as payable in dollars will reap big profits if they are able to hold their British and other foreign paper until the market rises again. The receiver of American goods must pay the premium of exchange, in this case, which means an additional profit of about one per cent to the exporters.

But the business interests of Great Britain, buyers of American goods in huge quantities, are gradually letting loose of their gold. They find themselves in the position of the man who is overdrawn at his bank and has to pay a premium to get money. Consequently, there were a few big gold shipments to America when the first slump came in the exchange market, and British gold was deposited in American banks to meet the bills of exchange.

And a sovereign that clinks and shines like an American five dollar gold piece, is worth as much as it ever was before.

Some of the bankers, including May, believed that Germany's submarine blockade is proved a lasting barrier to trade, would bring the rate of exchange back to normal again. They figured that American business men then would be glad to get British paper, or any other kind of paper for their products, and, needing the business, wouldn't worry whether a pound was worth four dollars and eighty-six cents or four seventy-five.

HAVE DARK HAIR AND LOOK YOUNG

Nobody can Tell when you Darken Gray, Faded Hair with Sage Tea.

Grandmother kept her hair beautifully darkened, glossy and abundant with a brew of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Whenever her hair fell out or took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect. By asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe, ready to use, for about 50 cents. This simple mixture can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair and is splendid for dandruff, dry, itchy scalp and falling hair.

A well-known down druggist says everybody uses Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur, because it darkens so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied—it's so easy to use, too. You simply dampen a comb or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, it is restored to its natural color and looks glossy, soft and abundant.

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8 Ladies' and Children's Sweaters, sizes 26 to 46, all colors.
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116 French Tips and Willow Plumes.
32 White Embroidered and Lingerie Dresses, sizes 14 to 38.
Small lot Children's Coats, sizes 6 to 14.
Small lot Skirts, Velveteen and Shepherd Plaids and Crepe, 22 to 30 waist.
7 dozen Middy Blouses, white and khaki, 14 to 42.
Small lot Ladies' and Misses' Coats, small sizes only.
Sateen, Heatherbloom Wash Skirts and Messaline Petticoats.

Many other articles of great use and value for $1.00 will be found in our large and spacious daylight store

EXTRA SPECIAL

To the five persons spending the most money in this store on **Dollar Day** we will send a

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COLORADO RATES PROBED BY BOARD

DENVER, March 1.—The Colorado public utilities commission today opened an investigation in the passenger rates of all railroads operating in the state. Representatives of 28 different roads appeared in answer to subpoenas issued by the commission.

The decision to make the investigation, which is expected to result in many substantial rate reductions, followed the receipt of complaints from various parts of the state. There is absolutely no conformity in rates, the commission declares. Fares vary from three cents a mile to as high as 11 cents a mile on some of the mountain roads.

A state-wide investigation into the rates charged for carrying coal by the railroads is planned by the commission to start March 15.

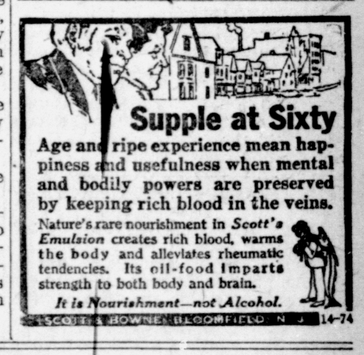
The principal roads affected by the investigation starting today are:

The Santa Fe, Burlington, Colorado & Southern, Rock Island, Colorado Midland, Denver & Rio Grande, Denver & Salt Lake, Great Western, Missouri Pacific and Union Pacific, as well as eighteen subsidiary branch and local lines.

OPPOSE ALL BUT ONE OF BOARD

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Favorable reports on all of the trade commission nominees, except George Rublee of New Hampshire, were made by the special sub-committee appointed to investigate them this afternoon. A further hearing on the qualifications of Rublee will be held on Monday.

It's our shortcomings that often have the longest reach.



Supple at Sixty

Age and ripe experience mean happiness and usefulness when mental and bodily powers are preserved by keeping rich blood in the veins.

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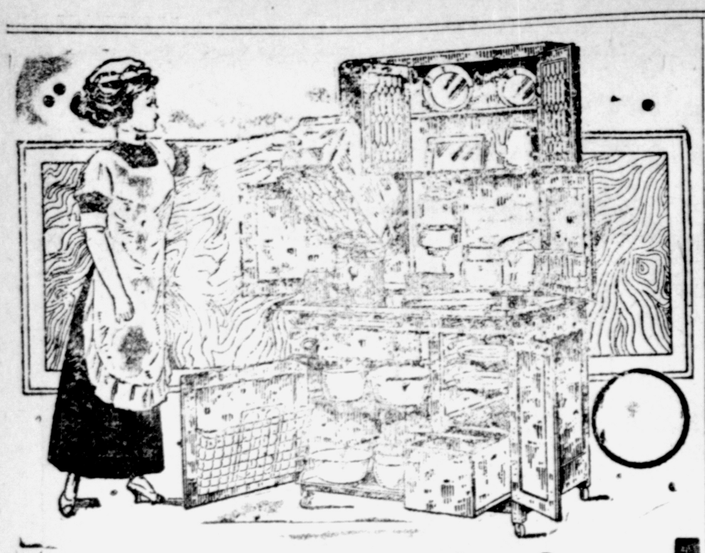
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By GEORGE McMANUS





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CHORAL CLUB TO REHEARSE TONIGHT

Good Attendance Expected at Second Meeting of Musical Organization

The La Crosse Choral club will hold its second rehearsal-meeting tonight at the W. B. U. hall. The membership committee has been busy telephoning to the various singers and the indications are that the attendance will be good. The committee urges all singers who desire to affiliate themselves with this splendid organization to come tonight. The plan is to organize with a membership of 150 to 200, and a chorus of this size, working in connection with the Philharmonic club, will be wonderfully effective in raising the musical status of La Crosse.

H. F. A. BANDMANN DIES

SHEBOYGAN, Wis., March 1.—Henry Frederick Adolph Bandmann one of the best known German-American citizens of the state, died today after a brief illness. He was president of the Wisconsin Kriegerbund, the organization which has charge of raising the fund for orphans and widows of German soldiers.

U. S. JESUIT ASSISTANCY

ROME, March 1.—The United States was today created an independent Jesuit assistancy under Father Thomas Gannon, formerly head of the eastern province of the United States.

Too Late to Classify

FOR SALE—Picture theaters. At all prices from $500 up. Some fine bargains if taken quick. Write Box 615, La Crosse, Wis. 3 1 5

DESTROYERS CONVOY U. S. LINER IN ZONE

American Ship Brings 220 Passengers to New York After Dash from Liverpool

NEW YORK, March 1—The American liner New York, carrying 220 passengers, glided into port here today, after a sucessful passage of the new submarine war zone around the British isles.

With four torpedo boats as convoys, she slipped out of Liverpool and dashed, with engine going at top speed, toward the open sea. Lifeboats were swung from their davits ready for instant use. After she cleared the war zone, the torpedo boats returned.

An unidentified steamship with all propeller blades missing, is drifting near the middle of the Atlantic, according to the log of the New York. It is thought to be the Tritonian, but is unknown here. All aboard are safe, according to the wireless received by the New York.

DENY INDICEMENTS

NEW YORK, March 1.—Eight directors of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, including Lewis Cass Ledyard, today entered pleas of not guilty to superseding indictments, charging them with violation of the Sherman law. They pleaded before Judge Neterer, in federal district court.

LOWELL HAS BAD FIRE

LOWELL, Mass., March 1.—Fire this afternoon destroyed Memorial hall, one of the finest libraries in this section, and seriously threatened the city hall and entire business section.

The candidate who gets the vote of the fair sex ought to receive a handsome majority.

An Open Letter To Users of Morphine, Cocaine or Opium Derivatives

THE Federal law restricting the sale of Morphine, Heroin, Codeine and all derivatives of Opium and Cocaine goes into effect March 1, 1915. After that date none of these "drugs" can be obtained except through physicians' prescriptions and physicians must make strict accounting to the Government on every prescription of this nature. It will be extremely difficult if not impossible for a drug user to obtain any of the drugs restricted under this law.

Persons addicted to the use of these drugs can obtain quick and permanent relief at the Keeley Institute, 629 South Tenth Street, Minneapolis, Minnesota. The treatment is not hard to undergo. It builds up the system, restores normal conditions and removes the necessity for the use of the drugs.

Correspondence will be kept strictly confidential. All matter mailed from the Institute in response to inquiries will be inclosed in plain wrappers. Full information free.

The U. S. Government Restricts Sale of These "Drugs" After Feb. 28, 1915

WINNING STRAITS PUT GUESSERS HERE IN TROUBLE

American Wheat Speculators Face Huge Drop in Market of Dardanelles Are Opened

WASHINGTON, March 1.—American wheat speculators are on the edge of a volcano. Agricultural experts here declare that maintenance of present prices depends entirely on the allies' operations against the Dardanelles. If the strait is forced the prices of all grains, especially wheat, will drop. If the Turko-German forces are able to prevent the opening of the Black sea to Russian commerce, two dollar wheat will come before the summer is more than half advanced.

In anticipation of the allied fleet forcing its way through the Dardanelles, Russian exporters have been gathering together a great fleet of merchant vessels at Russian Black sea ports and loading them with wheat. Much of this grain is already pledged with British merchants for cash advanced to Russian connections. And, according to the latest advices reaching here, England and France have agreed to purchase, and immediately pay in gold, for all wheat that Russia can spare.

Experts here estimate that Russian exporters now have between 125,000,000 and 175,000,000 bushels of rye and wheat ready for immediate export at various lack sea points. Only a negligible quantity was exported of last summer's crop and the nation's entire reserve supply can be thrown on the European markets within thirty days after the lack sea is opened.

Russia, more than any other of the allies, with the possible exception of Belgium, needs money. England has had to finance the government expenditures and the government itself has been unable to furnish much relief to Russian financiers because of the low ebb of the nation's finances, due to the prohibition of the sale of vodka, the government's chief source of revenue. It is believed here that it is because of realization of this fact that the Franco-English fleet is battering the gates of Constantinpole and the Black sea. If the gateway is opened, food prices in France and England will be reduced twenty-five per cent in grain and speculators in the United States will stand to lose considerable sums through the crumbling of prices here.

BARRE MILLS MAN KILLED BY FLAMES WHEN HOME BURNS

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the fire was yhen he visited Engebretson, Evenson stayed there most of the morning, returning to his home about the time the woodcutters left. One of the woodcutters told Engebretson that Evenson said 'Something is going to happen here pretty soon."

When neighbors arrived, Evenson was carrying out his furniture and sobbing. "My house is going to burn to the ground," he is said to have moaned. His efforts were frantic to get all the furniture out of the building. The neighbors helped, and nearly everything was out, when Evenson disappeared from the small group of rescuers. They dropped the rescue work, and searched for Evenson. A fence post was used in breaking in the cellar door. They did not see Evenson's body lying on the floor they said this morning, although it was discovered there today.

Fire Starts in Kitchen

The supposition is that when Evenson returned from his visit with the Engebretson family, he started a fire in the kitchen range, and went to sleep. It was in the kitchen that the fire is supposed to have had its origin.

Woodcutters had told persons living nearby that Evenson had been in the habit of keeping hot fires in the range, and that they considered him dangerous.

Acident Theory Advanced

Above the corner of the basement where the body was found, was a clothes closet. Some ofe or the belief that Evenson tried to get some of his clothes out of the house and that the floor gave way. The flooring was very thick, and the fact that the fire had not reached that part of the building weakens this theory. Several minutes after Evenson disappeared, his friends went through this room, and at the time it was not burning. The house was a large one, and the fire at first was confined to the rear part.

When George Simon, another neighbor, arrived, Evensin was leaning against the house sobbing. He tried to learn how the fire started, but Evenson seemed to be unable to talk.

The neighbors who arrived on the scene the earliest this morning said they were "suspicious" of the affair, but could not give definite reasons for their suspicions.

Drank Liquor Through Tube

For years Evenson presented the contradiction of a habitual drunkard, who never tasted liquor. He took it through the silver tube, and although he never smacked his lips that he liked it was evidenced by the hilarity with which he celebrated those occasions upon which he flushed his plumbing with wine when it was red.

Twenty years ago Evenson tried to kill his aged mother and take his own life. He shot the woman and cut his own throat. His mother survived, and Evenson was arrested. The case brought forth one of the best known criminal troals in La Crosse county. Evenson was finally acquitted on an insanity plea and sent to Mendota. He did not stop his drinking when he returned from the insane asylum, and was again sent there. An effort was being made at this time to return him to Mendota.

Widow Holds Estate

Some months ago Evenson's wife caught him in a compromising position, which may have been the remote couse of his death today. During the quarrel which followed, Evenson, to mollify his wife, turned over his $10,000 form to her, which she now holds. She threatened to have him arrested, he is said to have told friends. A lawsuit was filed three weeks ago, in which Evenson would have tried to get the property back, but his death today ended the controversy.

Wants County to Bury Him

Retaliating for the property suit, Mrs. Evenson had started divorce proceedings against her husband. Mrs. Evenson was represented by Attorney Otto Schlabach and Attorney A. C. Wolfe.

Mrs. Evenson today made a request to Coroner Tetley that the county bury Evenson. She would have nothing to do with the body, so the coroner brought it to La Crosse today. Funeral services will be held at his establishment on South Fourth street, at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Tragedy Amuses Son

The sixteen-year-old son Edmund bore an amused smile while his father's charred body was being raised from the ruins, and while Evenson's friends stood around the burned building in tears, he seemed indifferent to what was going on.

Although Evenson had been a drinking man, he had scores of friends, and everyone for miles around testified that he had led a straightforward life.

Evenson was the eleventh son of parents who were pioneers of Greenfield township. He has always lived on the farm near Barre Mills.

District Attorney Otto Schlabach left at 3 o'clock this afternoon for the scene of the fire.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to all friends for the kindness and sympathy shown us during our late bereavement, the lose of our loving mother and daughter. Especially do we thank the Rev. J. H. Klaus.

MRS. L. KINDER.
MRS. L. KLAUS and Family.
MRS. M. STENDENT, mother.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and gratitude to the friends for their kindness and sympathy during the illness and death of our beloved son and brother.

MR. AND MRS. ANTON PETERSON AND FAMILY.

INDIAN "Y" WORKER HERE

The Christian work in India is progressing at a rapid rate was the statement of H. M. White before the Men's Bible Study club of the First Baptist church yesterday morning. Mr. White is secretary of the Y. M. C. A. of Madras, India. He speaks at Eau Claire today.

AMERICAN LINER SAFE

LIVERPOOL, March 1.—The American liner St. Louis arrived here today with 200 passengers. She reported her trip from New York was without incident.

BUSY

My newspaper advertising, coupled with careful and conscientious methods, brought such a volume of work from former as well as many new patrons, that I am forced to temporarily discontinue my announcements.

The enlargement of my dental offices within a few days will give ample room for additional facilities.

I will continue to serve you, as heretofore, to the best of my ability.

Our Guarantee Protects You

Lawrence Dental Co.
CUT RATE DENTISTS
Fourth and Main. Over Hebberd's

Buy You Shoes Upstairs and Save Money

All sizes and widths carried in stock. Latest spring styles for the whole family.

ADAMS CO-OPERATIVE SHOE CO.
325 Main Street

"It's a Long, Long Way to Tipperary"
Three reel Pathe war special
Coming to THE BIJOU
Wednesday Only

THE DOME

MONDAY AND TUESDAY
1. Maurice Costello in "The Blood Ruby." Two parts.
2. "Peddler's Bag."
3. "Ageless Sea."

THE STAR

All Seats 5c

Fine Four Reel Show. Good Music. Change every day. Packed Saturday and yesterday. There's a Reason. Be on time.

RUSS ARMY AGAIN ON OFFENSIVE IN POLISH TERRITORY

Germans Admit Violent Attacks Are in Progress but Claim All Are Repulsed

SLAVS CLAIM TO HOLD PRZASNYSZ

Asserted by Petrograd That Assailants Were Driven Back by Machine Guns

BERLIN, via Wireless to London, March 1.—New Russian forces have appeared along the Przasnysz-Lomza-Augustof battle front in Poland, and have begun a gentral offensive movement against Von Hindenburg's armies, it was officially admitted today.

Northwest of Lomza, the Slavs in great numbers have begun a series of violent attacks on the village of Skroda, south of Kolno. The Germans have repulsed several of these onslaughts and have taken 1,100 prisoners, but the enemy continue desperate charges.

Fight in Swamps

Northwest of Grodno, another large body of Russians is battling with the Germans in the swamps, ten miles east of Augustof. The enemy is also on the offensive in the Przasnysz region. Dispatches from the front expressed the belief that the series of attacks by the Russians was an attempt to halt further advances by the Germans, rather than a serious attempt to press Von Hindenburg back to the frontier.

In the western battle theater, the fighting around Verdun and near Perthes continues. For the seventh successive day the French have assaulted the German positions near Perthes. The crown prince's army is assaulting the French positions north of Verdun.

Slavs Claim Successes

PETROGRAD, Feb. 27.—Repulse of the Germans at Przasnysz, and defeat of a new Austrian movement toward Lemberg, were claimed in dispatches received here today. At Przasynsz the Germans threw several regiments into the attack. They swarmed toward the town, in the face of a hot machine fire, suffering enormous losses.

Russian heavy artillery caused still heavier casualties. It was admitted that the czar's troops also lost heavily.

Around Stanislau, the Austrians whose advance northward toward Halitz was halted by the Russians, attempted a new offensive west of Stanislau. Their object was to cut the line of communication of the Russian army operating south of Tuchla, and itself threatening to cut the Austrians off from the railroad leading to Munkacs and to advance on Lemburg, over the Stanislau-Lemberg railway. They were repulsed with heavy loss.

Germans Shell Ossowetz

The Germans have resumed the shelling of Ossowetz, the Polish fortress defending the Warsaw-Petrograd railway.

They have brought up heavier artillery and are making preparations for an extended siege. Along the Bobr and Narew, repeated German efforts to advance have been beaten off.

The Russians are on the offensive in Poland not only around Przasnysz both on both banks of the Vistula. The Russian lines near Bolimow are being slowly advanced.

RUNAWAY ENGINE SMASHES ANOTHER

One Killed and Ten Hurt When Switch Engine Gets Away from Fireman at Cedar Rapids

CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa, March 1.—One man was killed and ten injured when a runaway Rock Island switch engine struck the Northwestern fast mail at a street crossing in this city early today. The switch engine was running forty miles an hour. H. M. Titsel, Cedar Rapids, Rock Island engineer, was killed. The Rock Island engine was switching near the St. Clair packing plant when something went wrong and Engineer Titzel went on the running board to investigate, telling Fireman Viogan to run the engine. Viogan lost control of it, and it started down the track 30 miles an hour. Titzel tried to stop the train but failed, and went to his death when the train struck the Northwestern fast mail at the first street crossing.

CATTLE STORY DENIED

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Agriculture department officials today denied a story that "feeders" who fatten cattle for market, have decided to cease purchasing from big cattle raisers. On the contrary, the department experts said, the y are buying unborn Texas calves at $35 per head, and except for the fact that foot and mouth disease quarantines have reduced the cattle supply, no reasons exist why they should not purchase from any available source.

M'WILLIAMS' SON DIES

James, aged one year and eleven months, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. McWilliams, 322 South Fourth street died Saturday afternoon at a local hospital of typhoid fever after an illness of sevtral months. The body was taken to Evanston, Ill., Saturday. Interment was made there today.

$1 Day

AT NELS THOMPSON

Three 50c TIES for	$1.00
Five pairs 25c SOX	$1.00
Three 50c SHIRTS	$1.00
One lot $2.50 and $3.00 HATS	$1.00
$1.50 SHIRTS at	$1.00
$1.50 GLOVES	$1.00
One lot of $3 and $4 OXFORD SHOES	$1.00
One of Boys' Double Breasted SUITS	$1.00

AND

25% OFF ON ALL SUITS AND OVERCOATS for THAT DAY

NELS THOMPSON

133 South Fourth Street

Week Financial

BANK STATEMENT

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—The weekly bank statement today showed the following changes:

Surplus, decreased $2,412,750.
Loans, increased $10,566,000.
Resedve in own vaults, decreased $1,682,000.
Reserve in federal reserve banks, increased $1,370,000.
Net demand deposits, increased $13,650,000.
Reserve in other depositories, increased $217,000.
Circulation, decreased $297,000.
Aggregate reserves, $509,568,000.

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NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—Perhaps because of the possibility that Great Britain's reply to our government's "war zone" note might be published over Sunday, the stock exchange elected today to do nothing. Business was practically at a standstill and changes in price were confined to trifling fractions. In general, the market ended about where it stood at the closing yesterday. There was little news on today's market. Cotton exports for the week, like wheat exports, show very considerable reductions from other recent weeks. This may in part be due to the German submarines and mines. But the week's shipment of both commodities has none the less been far above the corresponding period last year.

The almost bewildering series of influences and counter-influences, which have affected this week's financial situation, has made it less easy than usual to say what the position actually was.

The week began with German submarine launching torpedoes at merchant vessels in a manner that certainly did not remove uneasiness over a similar fate for an American ship. But this has not happened. The destruction of our merchant ships by running on North sea mines no doubt raised a question as to the right or wrong of planting these infernal machines in the open sea, but it gave no ground for alleging deliberate intention.

Absence of any submarine attack on our merchant ships gave a chance for gradual reassurance.

This week's renewed decline in sterling exchange to within one cent of the last week's extraordinarily low level of $4.87¼, directs attention to the reports of other gold import engagements from Ottawa.

NIGHT OF REVELRY; FIGHT IN SALOON; POLICE AUTO—JAIL

"Happy" Green Breaks the Speed Regulations and Friends Break Fixtures; Arrests Follow

Silas "Happy" Green, the man who was awarded $10,000 a few years ago for the loss of both legs in a railroad wreck, burned a little more of his money up last night.

Green, Frank Brown, George Frohock, John Summers, John Gage and John "Red" Cook, all of North La Crosse, are today confined at the county jail, awaiting hearings on charges of wrecking interior furnishings of Cushner's saloon at French Island, and of "beating up" A. R. Fogel and H. Krueger.

The row started about midnight in John Elsen's saloon. The men are said to have suddenly selected Fogel and Krueger as punching bags and started for them. The two men fled and took refuge at the Cushner place where the six followed with their machine.

Police Chase Fighters

Cushner called Sheriff George J. Ritter here, and Ritter asked the assistance of the police. When the police auto, accompanied by the sheriff, arrived at the Cushner resort, the six men were just leaving. They were in a car owned by Green, who drove the car.

One of the hardest automobile chases in the history of the county followed. While the "bandit" automobile became stalled on a hill near Holmen, the police automobile was stopped with a flat tire. In all, forty miles was covered during the chase.

The police car finally started with the flat tire, Patrolman Rick risking accident in the successful endeavor to catch the six men.

The runaway car was overtaken near Holmen, a long distance off the road.

Silas Green, commonly termed "Happy" Green, is the only man in La Crosse ever fined $100 and costs for speeding. He beat all records again last night. Attorney F. H. Hartwell will defend the six men.

Man's will is a weak thing when a woman gets busy with it.

What the Dollar Day Sale means with us

We have combinations that sell for one dollar. Here are two of many:

Two 20c Milk Pans	40c
One 10c Mixing Bowl	10c
One Aluminum Sauce Pan	60c
1 Aluminum Fry Pan	50c

$1.00

One white, blue and white Bowl	10c
One white, blue and white Bowl	15c
One white, blue and white Bowl	20c
One white, blue and white Bowl	25c
One white, blue and white Bowl	50c

$1.00

A $1.40 Aluminum Sauce Pan $1.00

JOSTEN Hardware Co.



Better cookies, cake and biscuits, too. All as light, fluffy, tender and delicious as mother used to bake. And just as wholesome. For purer Baking Powder than Calumet cannot be had at *any price*.
Ask your grocer.

RECEIVED HIGHEST AWARDS
World's Pure Food Exposition, Chicago, Ill.
Paris Exposition, France, March, 1912

MOTHERS' PENSION MEASURE NOW A LAW IN WYOMING

CHEYENNE, Wyo., March 1.—Wyoming mothers with children under 14 years of age, unable to obtain employment permitting them to spend a reasonable part of their time at home, will hereafter be pensioned by the state.

Governor Kendrick has signed the bill passed by the legislature providing a pension of $20 a month. Those with more than one child may receive $20 a month for the first child and $10 a month for each additional child.

The man who is quick to wrath usually has a difficult time getting anywhere.

CHILD'S TONGUE BECOMES COATED IF CONSTIPATED

When cross, feverish and sick give "California Syrup of Figs"

Children love this "fruit laxative," and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels so nicely.

A child simply will not stop playing to empty the bowels, and the result is, they become tightly clogged with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sours, then your little one becomes cross, half-sick, feverish, don't eat, sleep or act naturally, breath is bad, system full of cold, has sore throat, stomach-ache or diarrhoea. Listen, Mother! See if tongue is coated, then give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the system, and you have a well, playful child again.

Millions of mothers give "California Syrup of Figs" because it is perfectly harmless; children love it, and it never fails to act on the stomach, liver and bowels.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

WIFE OF ALLEGED SPY THREATENED

Mrs. Richard Stegler Turns Warning to Be Silent Over to the U. S. Authorities

STEGLER TELLS WHAT PLANS WERE

Instructions Were to Visit Shipyards in Belfast and Examine Liverpool Harbor

NEW YORK, March 1.—A federal grand jury probe today is expected to follow the sending of a threatening letter to Mrs. Richard Stegler, wife of the German prisoner here, in the passport fraud case. The letter, which warned Mrs. Stegler that if she talked any more concerning her husband's arrest, harm would befall her, was turned over to federal officers.

Warned Over 'Phone

In addition to the letter, Mrs. Stegler declared she had received several telephone calls since her husband's arrest, warning her to "keep her mouth shut."

Captain Boy-Ed, the German naval attache named by Stegler as the head of the German spy system in this country, today refused to discuss the hurried visit of the German ambassador, Count von Bernstorff, to New York yesterday.

"Suffice it to say,' he declared, "that his visit had nothing to do with this alleged passport scandal."

Stegler today told the plans which he declares were made for him by Captain Boy-Ed.

To Inspect Shipyards

"I first was to go to Belfast, Ireland," he said, "and to inspect the shipyards there. A number of merchant vessels were reported being paintew and rebuilt there to resemble British battleships, and were to be used in a scheme to block the mouths of the Elbe and Weser rivers, in Germany. I was directed to find out about it.

"Later I was to go to Liveprool and investigate conditions there and see what chance there would be for a submarine raid on the ships in Liverpool harbor."

Spy's Widow Gets Indemnity

Stegler also declared that Mrs. Lody, widow of Carl Hans Lody, who exeuted in the tower of Lindon as a German spy, was given $15,000 by the German government.

CAN'T CELEBRATE— HARDY IS PEEVED AT OUR CALENDAR

While being married in a leap-year may have its advantages to the "woman" in the case, it has deprived Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Dennison, 1237 Farnam street, of eighteen wedding anniversaries.

Mr. Dennison, who has been married fifty-one years today, will not disclose the truth of whether his "spouse" proposed, but he bemoans the date because of the ban which it carries.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennison were married February 29, 1864. Only once in four years can they celebrate their anniversary.

Next year they plan to make up for the three years deprived them, with a celebration which will outdo any in the past.

ROAD PAYS DIVIDENDS

MONEREAL, March 1.—The Canadian Pacific will pay its quarterly dividends of 2½ per cent to stockholders of record today.

Doings of Local People at "U"

Otto Endres of La Crosse, sophomore student at the University of Wisconsin, won first place in the pole vault in the annual soph-fresh indoor meet at the gymnasium annex. The bar stood at 10 feet 6 inches. The meet was won by the sophomores by a comfortable margin.

Raymond Keeler of La Crosse, captain of last year's varsity football team at the University of Wisconsin, was one of the guests of honor at the annual sophomore prom held recently. Irving M. Tuteur of La Crosse was chairman of the publicity and advertising committee for the function.

John E. McConnell of La Crosse attended a regular meeting of the board of visitors of the University of Wisconsin recently. President C. R. Van Hise entertained the members of the board at a formal dinner.

Mrs. Josephine Jones, dean of women at the La Crosse state normal school attended the annual vocational conference for women and the conference of deans of women at the University of Wisconsin this month.

Raymond Keeler of La Crosse was one of the three speakers who assailed the Heim bill, which would deprive students of the right to vote in Madison, at a mass meeting of University of Wisconsin students held at the Y. M. C. A. to protest against the measure. Mr. Keeler will undoubtedly be one of a committee to be appointed by the students to appear in opposition to the bill when it comes up for a hearing before the legislative committee.

Miss Helen Ulrich of La Crosse, senior in the college of letters and science at the University of Wisconsin, has been selected as a member of the girls' basketball team representing her class

THE CONTINENTAL

GREAT DOLLAR DAY



SPECIALS

Wednesday, March 3rd

will mark the inauguration of La Crosse's Greatest Advertising Event—

The 1st semi-annual

DOLLAR DAY SALES

Having joined in this movement, we are desirous of its success, and therefore offer some exceptional strong ONE DOLLAR BARGAINS as our quota to this great ONE DAY BARGAIN EVENT

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$1.00 For Boys' Shawl Collar Sweater Coats. Regular selling price $1.50.

$1.00 For Boys' Three Piece Knee Pants Suits. Regular selling price $3.00 and over.

$1.00 For any of our regular $1.50 Silk Four-in-hands.

$1.00 For Boys' Blue Serge Knicker Pants. Regular selling price $1.25. Sizes 8 to 16.

$1.00 For Men's Cassimere Work Pants. Regular selling price $1.50.

$1.00 For Little Fellows' Reefers. Worth double and more.

5 Pair for $1 Of any of our regular 25c Socks in the store.

$1.00 For Men's Fancy Golf and Auto Caps. Regular selling price $1.50.

$1.00 For any Child's $1.50 Sweater in the store.

$1.00 For any Man's $1.50 or Boy's Flannel Shirt. All colors.

$1.00 For any Boys' $1.50 Flannel Blouse Waist. All colors.

Headquarters for HART, SCHAFFNER & MARX Good Clothes

THE CONTINENTAL

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LA CROSSE'S GREATEST CLOTHING STORE

VOTING BY MAIL MAY BE LEGALIZED BY LEGISLATURE

Two Bills to Permit Students and Teachers to Cast Ballots in Home Communities Up

MADISON, Wic., March 7.—(Special.)—The plan of voting by mail, which attracted so much of the attention of the last legislature, has been presented in the assembly for consideration. Two bills have been offered both of which are modeled closely after the Minnesota law. One is introduced by Assemblyman John B. Heim of Madison and the other by Assemblyman Carl Pieper of Dunn county. Assemblyman Heim offered the bill so that students at the different educational institutions might mail their ballot back home to be recorded on election day.

The senate committee on judiciary has fixed March 10 as the date when the Skogmo resolution for the calling of a constitutional convention will be considered. Assemblyman Pieper announced today that he would make a fight to have his eugenics bill passed over the unfavorable committee report. The Pieper bill provided that the provision of the eugenic law requiring a medical test be repealed and that in its place the contracting parties be required to sign a statement in which they declare that to the best of their knowledge they were not suffering from a communicable disease.

LEAGUE CUTS SALARIES

NEW YORK, March 1.—The International league which met today and cut the salaries because of the hard times.

BAUCH ACCUSED BY AGED SPOUSE

Fred Bauch, 60, was arraigned in county court today on charges of having assaulted his aged wife, and threatened to kill her. The hearings were postponed until 2 o'clock Monday afternoon because Bauch was found to be intoxicated.

A RAW, SORE THROAT

Eases Quickly When You Apply a Little Musterole

And MUSTEROLE won't blister like the old-fashioned mustard-plaster. Just spread it on with your fingers. It penetrates to the sore spot with a gentle tingle, loosens the congestion and draws out all soreness and pain.

MUSTEROLE is a clean, white ointment made with oil of mustard. There's nothing like it for quick relief for Sore Throat, Bronchitis, Tonsilitis, Croup, Stiff Neck, Asthma, Neuralgia, Headache, Congestion, Pleurisy, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Pains and Aches of the Back or Joints, Sprains, Sore Muscles, Bruises, Chilblains, Frosted Feet, Colds on the Chest (it often prevents pneumonia). Nothing like MUSTEROLE for croupy children.

At your druggist's, in 25c and 50c jars, and a special large hospital size for $2.50.

Be sure you get the genuine MUSTEROLE. Refuse imitations—get what you ask for. The Musterole Company, Cleveland, Ohio.

MUSTEROLE WILL NOT BLISTER

DIRECTOR PICKS UP FACTS AT PROBE

Admits He Learned More of Railroad's Affairs at U. U. Inquiry Than in 18 Years as Director

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Ogden Mills, Rock Island director since 1897, admitted on the stand before the interstate commerce commission today that he had learned more about the affairs of the road while listening to other witnesses at the investigation than during all his years of service as a director.

Mills said he was not present at the meeting when 8,800 shares of stock were presented to officials and that he got none of the stock. He knew nothing of the alleged $50,000 gift to G. H. Warren and the $100,000 gift to R. A. Jackson and other gifts, he said.

"I certainly would object if funds were squandered," he said and asked why he did not investigate the "gifts," he said they had not been brought to his knowledge.

ALLEGED PLOT NOT PROVEN

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas, March 1.—The alleged conspiracy of Mexicans to kill all white males over 16 years of age in the southwestern states and set up a new white republic, was not proved in a preliminary hearing today of Antonio Gonzales, who was charged with being the ring leader in the plot. Gonzales was released and the case was dismissed. An alleged accomplice, to be given a hearing later, probably will be released also. A circular printed in Spanish was shown, however, calling for the uprising last Monday. A United States commissioner heard the case here.

AIRMEN SCOUT FOR SUBMARINE QUARRY

LONDON, March 1.—German strategy has devised a new use for aircraft. To aid the submarines in their attacks upon British merchantmen and warcraft, the Germans have ordered taubes and hydroplanes to patrol English coast waters, and hunt out enemy vessels. This fact was learned today when two German aviators were found clinging to the wreckage of a hydro-aeroplane off Lowestoft, a Suffolk county seaport, 110 miles northeast of London. The airmen, half dead from exposure, when they regained consciousness, said they had been sent from the Belgian coast with instructions to watch for British ships in the North sea and signal their presence to a squadron of submarines.

Other aviators, it is known, are performing a similar service in the English channel.

YANKEES IN TRAINING

SAVANNAH, Ga., March 1.—The New York Americans reported at their training camp here today.

PASSENGERS AVOID THE LUSITANIA

NEW YORK, March 1.—With "Old Glory" painted on her bow and the words American line in large letters on both sides of her hull, the steamer St. Paul sailed from here today for Liverpool. The Lusitania also sails today, but the passenger list on the St. Paul was by far the largest, as the Lusitania is under British registry.

BOY BURGLARS HELD

RACINE, Wis., March 1.—Ernest Medworth and John Meier, boy burglars from Chicago, each fifteen years old, are in jail here charged with robbing the homes of Dr. James Henderson and Fred Cornell in broad daylight.

CALOMEL SALIVATES

Calomel makes you sick and you lose a day's work. Calomel is a nasty, dangerous chemical. To liven your sluggish liver and bowels when constipated, headachy, bilious, just get a 10-cent box of harmless Cascarets. They work while you sleep, don't gripe, sicken or salivate.

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Children's Wash Suits, made in different styles and colors, such as Oliver Twist, Sailor, Russian Blouse and many others. Values up to $1.98, sizes from 2 to 7 years. Special for Dollar Day—

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Dollar Bargains in the Stationery Department

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A special lot of popular copyright books, good selection of titles.

5 of the regular 49c Copyright Books for **$1.00**

All the late editions of copyrighted books, usually selling at $1.25, $1.35 and $1.50, on Dollar Day only **$1**

RUGS
27x54 inch Axminster Rugs, $1.75 value— **$1**

BED SPRINGS
Any size Bed Spring for— **$1**

LINOLEUM
Any pattern of Inlaid Linoleum, yard **$1**

Dollar Bargains in the Grocery Department

STARCH—5 large 25c packages of Argo Starch for **$1**

WASHING POWDER—6 large No. 4 packages of Rub-No-More Washing Powder for..... **$1**

POST TOASTIES—20 10c packages of Post Toasties for **$1**

BAKING POWDER—5 25c cans of either K. C. or Calumet Baking Powder for..... **$1**

Suit Cases

Suit Cases made of matting and red fibre, with enameled steel frame and corners, well lined, and with inside tie straps, regular $1.48 value, special for Dollar Day sale—

$1.00

Every time you buy one dollar's worth of Groceries, selected from the list below, we will sell you

24 *Pounds of Granulated SUGAR for . . . .* **$1**

⅛ pound ground Cinnamon for	5c
⅛ pound ground Pepper for	5c
⅛ pound ground Mustard for	5c
⅛ pound ground Ginger for	5c
⅛ pound ground Allspice for	5c
½ pound fresh baked Ginger Snaps for	5c
½ pound Salted Pretzels for	5c
½ pound Pearl Tapioca for	5c
Bulk Starch, per pound	5c
1 bottle Little Boy Blue Condensed Blueing	10c
Cider Vinegar, per gallon	25c
White Wine Vinegar, per gallon	15c
Bulk Cocoa, ½ pound	15c
½ pound Bulk Cocoanut for	10c
3 pounds Sal Soda for	5c
5 pounds Salt for	5c
One dozen boxes Safety Matches for	5c

The Doerflinger Women's Suit Department will offer for this great, eventful day, the biggest bargains ever put before you.

$3.00 Women's Skirts, $1.00
Women's Skirts, regular $3 all wool skirts, in serge and mixtures; we have only about 40 of these garments, so you will have to be here early. Dollar Day price **$1**

Women's White Aprons, $1
A big lot of hand embroidered Women'sWhite Aprons special for Dollar Day, 5 for **$1**

Women's Drawers
Women's Drawers, the regular 35c kind, Dollar Day price, 5 pairs for **$1**



Ready-To-Wear Section Second Floor

Women's Silk Crepe $1.50 Petticoats for $1.00
Women's Silk Crepe Petticoats, $1.50 values, Dollar Day price ... **$1**

Women's Shirt Waists
Women's Shirt Waists, new spring models, $1.25 values, Dollar Day price each **$1**

Children's Dresses
New spring Dresses for children, just received, made of Amoskeag Gingham and Chambray, some hand embroidered, Dollar Day price **$1**

4 Outing Gowns for $1.00

Anticipate your next winter wants for Outing Gowns during the Dollar Day sale. We offer you regular 50c Women's Outing Gowns, 4 for **$1**

House Dresses

The electric House Dresses, best fitting garment made, sizes from 36 to 52 bust measure, choice of any of the regular $1.25 values, Dollar Day price **$1**

A Corset at $1.00

Manufacturer's surplus stock of American Lady Corsets, made of fine coutil material, medium bust, lace trimmed, with draw string and six hose supporters, an excellent corset for spring or summer. A regular $1.50 garment, special for Dollar Day at each **$1**

Corset Department 2nd floor.

Dollar Day Bargains in Domestics and Notions

NOTION BARGAINS

With every dollar purchase of Notions, Yarns, Purses, Hand Bags,Shell and Celluloid Hair Pins, Hand Mirrors, we will give you $5.00 worth of Extra Premium Stamps FREE.

ONE DOLALR OFF—On each $5.00 purchase of Blankets will cut off One Dollar; in other words, you'll pay us $4.00 instead of 5 dollars.

$1.25 TABLE LINEN $1.00
Wednesday we will sell all our $1.25 Table Linens at yard **$1**

HANDKERCHIEFS
With every $1.00 purchase of Handkerchiefs we will give you $5.00 worth of extra Premium Stamps FREE.

QUILTS
All our $1.25 and $1.50 Bed Comforters or Quilts at **$1**

OUTING FLANNEL
12½ yards of 10c Outing Flannel for **$1**

95c Shirt and 50c Neck Tie for $1

Our Men's Furnishing Dept. offers for Dollar Day Wednesday your choice of Blue Diamond Shirts, selling at 95c, and your choice of a large assortment of 50c Flowing End Silk Four-in-Hands. Shirts come in coat style, in neat stripe patterns of blue, black and lavender, with cuffs attached. Colors are guaranteed fast. Shirt and Tie Dollar Day at **$1**

Dollar Bargains IN Art Goods

3 of our 50c packages of Royal Society Stamped Goods.
Wurzburger Stamped Goods
Peri Lusta Stamped Goods
Artimo Stamped Goods.
Belding Bros.' Stamped Goods.

For $1.00

ROYAL SOCIETY PACKAGES

2 of our 75c packages as above at **$1**

5 of our 25c packages as above at **$1**

$1.50 Allover Lace and Flouncing will be sold on this day at per yard **$1**

5 yards of 25c Embroideries will be sold on this day at ... **$1**

What $1.00 will buy in the Dress Goods Section Dollar Day

$1.80 for $1.00

Just think of buying 10 yards of 18c Dress Ginghams for $1.00. Our big buying facilities make these bargains possible. Full 32 inches wide, big variety of styles in plaids, checks and stripes.

$1.44 for $1

Dollar Day we sell 8 yards of 32 inch Daisy cloth, worth 18c a yard, a similar fabric to Kindergarten cloth, only lighter in weight, neat stripe effects, launders perfectly.

$2.10 for $1.00

6 yards of printed Rice Voile, worth regularly 35c per yard, all new spring styles.

$2.00 for $1.00

42 inch Silk and Wool Dress Goods that are as staple as wheat and sell day in and day out at $1 a yard. Dollar Day we give you one yard additional for every yard you buy; all neat stripe designs in tans, grays and browns.

Combination Dollar Bargain

A Genuine Money Saver for You.

6 yards 25c Printed Costume Crepe	$1.50
1 dozen Wash Crochet Buttons	.10
1 spool Clark's Thread	.05
Total	$1.65

All the above Dollar Day for **$1.00**

This Dollar Combination Big Value

Be sure you get your share of this Special.

10 yards American CALICO	$ .60
2 yards 25c WHITE PERCALINE	.50
1 bunch 10c COLORED SKIRT BRAID	.10
1 spool CLARK'S COTTON THREAD	.05
2 cards HOOKS and EYES	.05
Total	$1.30

An actual saving of 30c.

Buy it Dollar Day for . . . **$1.00**

Combination Dollar Bargain

4½ yards 75c Colored Ratine	$3.38
(Slightly soiled on double fold)	
2 cards of Hooks and Eyes	.05
1 Amolin Dress Shield	.25
Total	$3.68

All the above Dollar Day for **$1.00**

A RARE SILK BARGAIN ONLY $1.00

To demonstrate the values we give in this Dollar Day sale we will sell as long as they last the following colors in our regular $1.50 Silk and Wool Poplin: White, yellow, nile, navy and wisteria, 40 inches wide, on sale Dollar Day at per yard **$1.00**

Dollar Bargains IN Underwear and Hosiery

3-50c "Bodygard Brand" Vests and Pants for Women, sold on Dollar Day for **$1**

3-50c Women's Union Suits, long sleeves, ankle length, sold on Dollar Day at **$1**

5 pairs of Women's fast black or grey wool Hose, our regular 25c kind, 5 pairs at ... **$1**

5 pair of Women's fleece lined Hosiery, regular 25c kind, sale price, 5 pair for **$1**

Men's extra heavy fleece lined Shirts and Drawers will be sold at 3 garments for **$1**

Housefurnishing Section Offers a World of Dollar Day Bargains

GO CART $1.00
Collapsable Baby Go-Cart with Hood **$1.00**

3 quart Aluminum TEA or COFFEE POT for **$1**

Baby Doll and Cart, $1.00
1 Collapsable Doll Cart .....
1 Kid Body Doll **$1.00**

Gallon Paint $1.00—MoneyBak guaranteed House Paint, per gallon **$1**

LAUNDRY OUTFIT
1 set Mrs. Potts' Sad Irons .....
1 Clothes Basket .....
1 Wash Board **$1.00**

Decorated Cups, Saucers and Dinner Plates
6 Cups and Saucers .....
6 Dinner or Soup Plates **$1.00**

12 quart ALUMINUM KETTLE, extra deep, for **$1**

ENAMELED WARE COMBINATION
6 quart Berlin Kettle with cover...
7 quart Tea Kettle, seamless .....
2 quart Tea Pot .....
3 quart Coffee Pot, enameled **$1.00**

ELECTRIC LAMP—Electric Lamp with 14 inch shade..... **$1**

FLOOR POLISHING OUTFIT
Adjustable Mop .....
Quart Can O'Cedar Oil..... **$1.00**

Pair Curtain Stretchers, $1.00
Curtain Stretchers, with adjustable pins, full size, at **$1**

2 Rooms Wall Paper for $1.00
As a special for Dollar Daywe will sell enough Wall Paper to furnish Dining Room and Bed Room for **$1**

ALUMINUM WARE COMBINATION
2 quart Kettle or Sauce Pan .....
1 Fry Pan, standard size .....
1 Double Rice Boiler, 2 quart size.. **$1.00**

BATH ROOM OUTFIT
1 White Enameled Bath Seat .....
1 18 inch Towel Bar .....
1 Hanging Soap Dish .....
1 Glass Shelf **$1.00**

LAUNDRY OUTFIT $1.00
1 Wash Boiler .....
1 Large Galvanized Tub .....
1 Wash Board **$1.00**

PICTURES
Pictures, size 15x24, gold Lacquered, suitable for parlor, library or living room ... **$1.00**

Women's Slippers

Women's Boudoir Slippers, in black and brown kid, low heel, thin sole and Pom Pom ornament, regular $1.25 values, this sale

$1.00

Women's Hats

The popular new Sailors in all latest colors, regular $2.00 values, Dollar Day each

$1.00

HEIL'S DOLLAR DAY Offerings

Women's $2.00 Satin Boudoir Slippers . . . **$1**

Men's House Slippers worth up to $1.75 . . . **$1**

Boy's House Slippers worth up to $1.50 . . . **$1**

Any pair of **Women's Felt House Slippers,** formerly sold up to $2.00 **$1**

See Our Window Display for Additional Bargains.

Heil's FAMILY Shoe Store

MAIN STREET AT FOURTH

We Brought Down the Prices Raised the Quality

Don't pay more than these prices for your dental work. We will give you the best work and use the best material ever put into dental work by any dentist anywhere at these prices.

$20.00 Set of Teeth $12.00
$15.00 Set of Teeth $10.00
$12.00 Set of Teeth $8.00
$10.00 Gold Crowns $5.00
$10.00 Bridge Work $5.00

DON'T PAY MORE.

Our Guarantee Protects YOU.

LAWRENCE Dental Co.

CUT RATE DENTISTS.

Fourth and Main. Over Hebberd's

DESERT "VALLEY"

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., March 1.—"The Valley," this city's segregated district, doomed to pass officially at midnight Sunday, is deserted today, in the city administration's campaign to make East St. Louis "more like home and less like hell." The district, which at one time housed 500 women, will have no "farewell party."

OUCH! BACKACHE! RUB LUMBAGO OR STIFFNESS AWAY

Rub pain from back with small trial bottle of old "St. Jacob's Oil."

When your back is sore and lame or lumbago, sciatica or rheumatism has you stiffened up, don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle of old, honest "St. Jacob's Oil" at any drug store, pour a little on your hand and rub it right on your aching back, and by the time you count fifty, the soreness and lameness is gone.

Don't stay crippled! This soothing penetrating oil needs to be used only once. It takes the pain right out and ends the misery. It is magical, yet absolutely harmless and doesn't burn the skin.

Nothing else stops lumbago, sciatica, backache or rheumatism so promptly. It never disappoints!

HUBBY'S AFFECTIONS ALIENATED SHE SUES HIS WEALTHY DAD



Mrs. Johnny Haserot.

One hundred thousand dollars for her husband and her peace of mind is the price Mrs. Johnny Haserot, nineteen, asks of F. H. Haserot of Cleveland, O., her wealthy father-in-law, in a suit charging alienation of affections. The young bride married Johnny Haserot, seventeen, last summer. The father took him away from the girl and had him sent to a state reformatory. The lad's love for the girl has since cooled.

ACQUIT GIRL WHO SHOT EMPLOYER

TORONTO, Ont., March 1.—Carrie Davis, the young servant girl, who shot and killed her employer, C. A. Massey, well known clubman, because she feared he would assault her while his wife was away, was today acquitted by a jury.

Massey was shot to death on the steps of his fashionable home. The girl pleaded he had kissed her the night before and that she was afraid to stay in the house with him another night alone.

Her First Dinner Party.

I was giving my first dinner in our new home, and, being somewhat excited, asked a couple who were Quakers by faith to ask a blessing on our food. They refused and in turn suggested that I ask the blessing. Never having made a prayer or speech in company, I became greatly confused and said: "Oh, no, let's just pass it up."—Chicago Tribune.

Special 15 Day Offer

of Reliable Painless Dentistry

My best 22 karat Gold Crown $5.00
Bridge Work of all kinds..... $5.00
Gold Fillings $2.00
Gold and Platinum Alloy Fillings $1.00
Whalebone Rubber Plates, the kind that lasts for a lifetime $12.50

Painless Extracting Free where contract is made for new work.

My guarantee for 20 years stands back of every piece of work. You have known me for the past 20 years as being on the square. I never have, nor ever will sell out my office and desert my patients to strangers. You will always find me here to attend to your wants. If you're going to have work done, do it now and save money. Come in anyhow and let's talk it over. It will not cost you a cent for advice. Look for the sign of the BIG TOOTH.

Dr. Watterson

The Painless Dentist 115 South Fourth Street

RUSHFORD HIGH PUPILS DECLAIM

Final Program of the High School Declamatory Contest Brings Out Best Talent in School

RUSHFORD, Minn., March 1.—(Special.)—Few, if any vacant seats were to be found at the Elite theater Friday night when the finals in the declamatory contest took place.

Good delegations were here from Houston and Lanesboro. Spring Valley was also represented as was La Crosse. Houston, Lanesboro and Rushford furnished the contestants, of whom there were nine. The evening's program was opened by a selection rendered by the Elite orchestra. Superintendent Madson spoke briefly upon the need of such work as that of the evening and thanked all for the splendid attendance at each of the preliminary contests.

The Rushford high school then boomed out its rapid fire "yell," and as Bennie Reishus, the first speaker, made his way to the platform, he was heartily cheered by his fellow workers. His oration, "The Peace of the World," consumed over half an hour's time, being the lengthiest of any upon the program.

He was followed by Miss Dyllone Hemstead of Houston, who told of "The Unknown Speaker." John Leary of Lanesboro gave the oration "Touissaint L'Ourverture," followed by the first of the dramatic speakers: Lillian Sundby of Rushford, who gave "The Lost Chord;" "The Chariot Race" was given by Helen Amidon of Houston and the last dramatic speaker, Henrietta Glasoe of Lanesboro told of "Connor." Allen Whitehouse of Houston, first of the humorous speakers, gave "Mrs. Casey on Lawn Tennis." Josephine Vaagen of Rushford followed with "The Coming Out of Miss Cummings" and Vesta Chapman of Lanesboro gave the concluding number, "Grandfather." The judges were Superintendent of Schools Oscar Carlson of Preston, Principal McCormick of La Crosse, and Miss Walker, principal of the Spring Valley schools.

Their decision gave first oratorical honors to John Leary of Lanesboro; first dramatic honors to Lillian Sundby of Rushford, and first humorous honors to Allen Whitehouse of Houston.

Spring is Here

Prominent Rushford people vouch for the story that a meadow lark was heard singing here last week. Spring must be here!

Semi-Pros Ski

A ski tournament, on a somewhat smaller scale than that of Rushford, was enjoyed at the farm of B. Quammen, near Highland, last Monday. No prizes were given, but some fine records were made, both by professionals and amateurs. Those participating were: Christ Kuland, Theodore Martinson, Jens Rud, Eddie Tolstad, Arthur Langford and Poder Halvorson.

Co-Ops Build Plant

The new creamery building of the Rushford Farmers' Co-operative Creamery company is now occupied by Mr. Plonty in his duties as butter maker. The building is a long stride in advance of the old place of business, being well-lighted, well ventilated and commodious, with up-to-the-minute facilities for working to the best advantage. The old creamery building, which was purchased several months ago by Messrs. Colbenson of this vicinity, is being razed and the material therein hauled to the farm of the purchasers.

Mrs. Ladsten and daughters, Mrs. Sandli and Miss Emma Ladsten of Tawney, Minn., were guests last Thursday and Friday of the Mrs. Gunder Anderson home in Ferry street.

Several cases of measles are again reported here, the epidemic of mumps having about run its course.

Moppy's Show is Good

The Eleonora Olson Concert company, brought here by the Rushford Athletic association, of whom "Moppy" Anderson is at the head, played to a large audience here Wednesday night.

Telegrapher Dies

Axtel Knudson, a son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Knudshon of this city, died at the home of his parents last Wednesday afternoon, February 24. The young man had been forced to stop his work as a telegrapher a number of months ago and had been steadily failing, though he had not been confined to his bed a great while. Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Rushford Lutheran church, Rev. Jaastad officiating and interment was made in the Lutheran cemetery west of the city.

TODAY'S ODDEST STORY

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., March 1.—The traffic policeman was off the job and pedestrians who crossed Market street were taking their lives in their hands. Jitney buses were speeding without thought of foot passengers.

Willis Polk of New York and San Francisco, an architect, wanted to cross.

Here was his method:

He stepped briskly to the curbstone, extracted a nickle from his pocket, held it aloft and looked like a customer. Every jitney bus stopped.

Polk walked safely across the street.

$1.00 DAY

Scott-Rose Co.

418-420 MAIN STREET

$1.00 DAY

WEDNESDAY

at our store you can buy

LADIES' COATS, SUITS and DRESSES for $1.00

Ladies' Fur Scars and Muffs for
Ladies' Dress Skirts for each
Ladies' Silk Waists for each
Ladies' $1.50 to $2.00 Crepe Kimonas for each
Children's Winter Coats for each
Infants' $1.50 and $2.00 Sweaters for
Ladies' Tailored & Lingerie Waists, worth to $3.50, for each
Gingham Petticoats, worth 50c each, three for
Children's Sweaters, worth $1.50, for
Ladies' Washable Dress Skirts, each
Ladies' Black and Colored Petticoats, worth $1.50, for
Ladies' Kid Gloves, worth $1.50 to $2.25 pair, for
Mens 50'c Linen Initialed Handkerchiefs, 3 for
Ladies' 25c Handkerchiefs, all kinds, 5 for
Lades' and Men's $1.50 Umbrellas, each for



For 2 Ladies' 75c and $1.00 Night Gowns.
For 2 Ladies' 75c and $1.00 White Petticoats.
For Ladies' $1.50 and $2.00 Corsets.
For 3 yards of 50c and 65c White Goods.
For 3 yards 50c and 65c Wash Goods.
For 2 yards 75c and $1.00 Embroidered Voiles.
For 7 yards 25c Striped Voiles.
For 2 75c 81x90 Sheets.
For $2.00 and $2.25 mill odd Spreads.
For 4 rolls 35c Cotton Batting.
For 5 25c Hemmed Bath Towels.
For 5 25c Hemmed Huck Towels.
For 2 75c Hemstitched Huck Towels.
For 12 yards 12½c Percales, 36 inch.

Women's House Dresses, worth $1.00 to $1.50 each, 2 for $1

$2.50 Mesh Bags, each for
La Vallieres, worth $1.50 to $3.50, each for
Ladies' Leather Hand Bags, worth $1.50 to $2.50, for
Velvet Bags, worth $1.25, Vanity Cases, worth 75c, both for
Gold Filled Lockets, worth $1.50 to $2.50, for
Ladies' Silk Hose, worth $1.50 to $2.50 pair, for
Ladies' 35c Hose, 4 pairs for
Ladies' 25c Hose, 5 pairs for
Carter's $1.50 and $1.75 Underwear, for each
Ladies' $1.50 to $2.00 Princess Slips for each
Ladies' $1.50 to $2.00 Night Gowns for each
Ladies' $1.50 and $1.75 Muslin Petticoats for



For 12 Cups and Saucers, Willow ware.
For 12 Supper Plates, Willow ware.
For 6 Maderia Napkins, worth $4.00 dozen.
For $1.35 & $1.50 Bleached and Silver Bleached Damask.
For 6 $2.50 and $3.00 doz. Napkins, in full bleached.
For 2 $1.00 Stamped Night Gowns.
For 6, 6 inch Maderia Doylies, worth $3.00 dozen.
For 3 45c and 50c Maderia Doylies, scalloped edges.
For 2 75c Maderia Doylies, scalloped edges.
For 18 inch Maderia Doylies, scalloped edges, worth $1.50.

Drapery Dept.—Third Floor—250 pairs Lace Curtains, choice of 12 patterns, value $2.00, special at the pair **$1.00**

NEW IDEA IN TABLOIDS IS SEEN IN "NOBODY HOME"

Interior of Beautiful Bungalow With Four Practical Rooms in Plain View Second Scene of Show

"Nobody Home," which opened Sunday at the Majestic, is the most original of any tabloid ever produced by Boyle Woolfolk. The second scene shows the interior of a beautiful bungalow. Four practical rooms are in plain view to the audience, three downstairs and one upstairs. The many comical situations that can be staged in such a scene are unlimited and the authors have taken full advantage of the opportunities. The kitchen, parlor, reception hall and spare room upstairs are all utilized at the same time to bring out the ludicrous situations. Among the features in the show are the shadowgraph and the burlesque opera finale. The cast is headed by Harry T. Shannon, remembered as the featured comedian with "The Tenderfoot" last season, in which he scored heavily.

The wise man is also one who knows when to change his mind.

CREAM FOR CATARRH OPENS UP NOSTRILS

Tells How To Get Quick Relief from Head-Colds. It's Splendid!

In one minute your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffling, blowing, headache, dryness. No struggling for breath at night; your cold or catarrh will be gone.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic healing cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothes the inflamed or swollen mucous membrane and relief comes instantly.

It's just fine. Don't stay stuffed-up with a cold or nasty catarrh—Relief comes so quickly.

FIRST RATE REASONABLE

WASHINGTON, March 1.—The interstate commerce commission has held reasonable the $1.62½ rate per hundred pounds on carloads of grape fruit and the $1.60 rate on fresh tomatoes from Jacksonville, and other rate on carloads of oranges and on grape fruit and oranges in mixed carloads, was held unreasonable to the extent that it exceeds the $1.62½ rate. The present minimum weight of 26,000 pounds of grape fruit and oranges was held unreasonable, in that the it exceeds the minimum of 24,000 pounds.

SOCKS FOR ALLIES

CHICAGO, March 1.—The last 2,000 pairs of 386,000 pairs of socks for soldiers in France made at Kankakee, near here, were shipped on their way today. The shipments have been going forward at this rate for a number of weeks.

TAX RETURN DAY TODAY

WASHINGTON, March 1.—If, perchance, you, gentle reader, are a dealer in opium or its dopey derivatives, you today are subject to a federal tax.

Moreover, if you are fortunate enough to be receiving an income large enough on which to make it worth while to dodge the tax collector, you should in honesty make a tax return to the federal officials.



Scene in Chauncey Olcott's New Comedy, "The Heart of Paddy Whack," La Crosse Theater Thursday March. 4

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410 MAIN ST.

$1.00 Day Sale

Lennon's

$1.00 Day Sale

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3rd

Kid Gloves, value to $1.50, at the pair $1.00

Long Chamoisette Gloves, 75c quality, at 2 pair for .. $1.00

Warner Corsets, $2.00 quality, in all sizes, at $1

Plain and fancy Brassieres, 35c quality, all sizes and styles, 4 for $1

Fancy Mounted Shell Back Combs and Barrettes, $1.00 values, at two for $1

Fancy Tipperary pattern Veils, value 75c, at two for $1

Trimmed Winter Hats for Ladies and Children, priced in two lots.

Two for .$1 Three for .$1

Ladies' Wool Hoods and Caps, value to $1.00, at 2 for $1

Choice lot of New SPRING HATS at $1.00

$1

Men's All Linen Handkerchiefs, one dozen for $1

Ladies' all Linen Embroidered and Initial Handkerchiefs, 35c quality, five for $1

Ladies' White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 4 dozen for $1

Men's White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 3 dozen for $1

Ladies' heavy Scotch Wool Gloves, $1.00 quality, 2 pair for $1

Wavy Hair Switches, 3 stems, $2.50 values, at $1

NECKWEAR, values to $2.00, at $1.00

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Redfern Corsets

Lennon's

New Spring Models

410 Main Street



If you wear front lace corsets, then for the good of your figure wear the new front lace. It is to be found in

REDFERN CORSETS

Certain clever points in construction make the new REDFERN models the ideal front lace corset for fashion and health. New spring models both front and back laced are now ready.

Every corset fitted by expert corsetiere and guaranteed to give satisfaction.

ST. FRANCIS PLANS HOSPITAL CHANGES TO COST $100,000

Four Story Buildings to Front Towards Tenth and Eleventh Streets at Market

NEW HOLY CROSS SCHOOL SOON

Old Structure at Thirteenth and Ferry Streets to Give Way to Modern Building Soon

Two additions will be made to the St. Francis hospital this season totaling an expenditure of approximately $100,000. One addition will be made to the hospital on Tenth street and the other will be on Eleventh street.

The Tenth street addition will be an operating wing. There will be three new operating rooms in the wing making a total, with the two, operating rooms which are now in the building of five operating rooms. The wing will be a three story affair and will be equipped with an elevator, and most modern lighting arrangements.

Towards Eleventh street, another wing containing patient rooms will be built. The present chapel will be enlarged and made capable of accommodating more people. The building will be four stories high and will make the hospital capable of handling nearly twice the present number of patients at the same time. This wing also will be equipped with an elevator.

Brick, tile and concrete only will be used in the construction of the building and it will be as entirely fireproof as modern building methods are capable of making it. The contract has not yet been let but it has been intimated that only local competition will be asked.

New Polish School Planned

The present Holy Cross school at Thirteenth and Ferry streets, will be torn down and replaced with a new $16,000 structure this spring. The new school will be a strictly modern building and will be equipped with all improvements with a capacity of approximately 175 pupils.

The building will be a two story affair. On the first floor there will be four class rooms, each with a capacity of seating forty-five students. The building will be 66 feet long and 55 feet wide. In the second story there will be a large auditorium with a capacity of seating about 375 people. This auditorium is to be used for all parish purposes and entertainments, as sociables and the like.

Bowling Alleys Too

Bowling alleys, toilet rooms, a large modern kitchen, and steam heating plant will be placed in the basement which will be well lighted. It has been arranged to heat the parsonage with the same plant which heats the school and thus save much trouble and expense.

During the construction of the new building, the pupils will be accommodated in the old orphanage on Winnebago street between Ninth and Tenth streets. There are about a hundred pupils in the school at present.

The old building will be torn down immediately and excavations started for the new structure as soon as the ground thaws up.

Plans for the construction of the above buildings were drawn by Parkinson & Dockendorff.

A contract for a church in Bancroft, Iowa, amounting to $60,000, has also been let by them to Garfield Schwartz of Rochester, Minn. Mr. Schwartz was formerly of this city. He is making a success of the contracting business at Rochester, where he has done the work of the Mayo brothers.

Remodel Esch Home

One of the most artistic accomplishments in interior residence reconstruction in La Crosse is the rearrangement of the living and drawing rooms of the Congressman J. J. Esch home, 117 South Thirteenth street.

Formerly two rooms, a partition was removed, leaving but the one room. The placing of white oak beams in the front and rear parts of the room, running in opposite directions, gives a distinct mission style to the home.

The beams are seven inches deep, nine inches thick, and are placed three and a half feet apart. Decorators are adding the finishing touches to the room. The work was done by Contractor A. H. Mitchell, John Gannon and Rockwell Filkins.

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EXCLUSIVE STYLES FOR WOMEN. FIFTH AND MAIN STREET.

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LINGERIE WAISTS

An odd lot of Lace and Lingerie Waists, delightfully dainty patterns; a most unusual opportunity, values to $5.00, your choice for $1

SILK PETTICOATS

A number of Silk Petticoats in a variety of colors. The very best of styles. Always sold previously as high as $4.50. Only a few to be sold for $1

WOOL SKIRTS

An odd lot of Wool Skirts in a good selection of designs and materials. These Skirts formerly sold for as high as $7.50, your choice for $1

COATS

We offer an odd lot of Coats of various materials and patterns, most unusual values. Only a few of these splendid Coats to be sold Wednesday for $1

FUR NECK PIECES

A small lot of odd Fur Neck Pieces that we don't want to carry over. We formerly sold them for as high as $10.00, to clean them up we offer them on Dollar Day forfor $1.00

Bewitching Spring Wearing Apparel

We are proud of our showing of the newest wearables for Spring. And we have reason to be. Mr. Reiman has just returned from New York and has brought with him all that is latest and best in

Coats, Suits, Dresses

Not a new idea but what is reflected in our stock. There are the quiet subdued colors and designs, there are odd effects in cut and trimming, there are the daring color combinations and all of the many unusual features in design, colors and trimming that go to make this Spring's offerings a never ending delight to the woman who would be well dressed. You are urged to view our display of these stylish garments.



EXIT IMPRACTICAL LOVE OF OUR GRANDFATHERS BEFORE "NEW LOVE"

CHICAGO, March 1.—At last it's defined, and with no possibility of mistake—the "new love." Here are some of the epigrammatic explanations given by Miss Dorothy Meadows and Mrs. Harry D. Hammer of why present day beings should discard the "old, impractical methods of the love of our grandfathers," for the new love which is "free from sentimental rubbish and romantic twaddle."

"The new love is different from passion; in it the man and woman are mated mentally, morally and spiritually as well as physically."

"The new love implies fidelity on both sides; the old idea that a man cannot be satisfied with a marital dog trot but must have his fling occasionally has no place in the new love."

"In the new love, woman no longer is the mere cantering ground for man."

"In the new love there will be none of the old courtship of man by women which has as much to do with real love as has the pursuit of a chicken by a hawk."

NEW SANITARY CODE

ALBANY, N. Y., March 1.—The sanitary code pertaining to barber shops and other public places goes into effect today and will be enforced by the health officers. The use of alum and other devices for stopping the flow of blood in stick form is forbidden. Such material must be applied in powdered form. The headrest of the tonsorial chair must be covered with a clean towel, and all razors, and shaving mugs must be thoroughly washed after using on one customer and before beginning operations on another. Common drinking cups and towels are forbidden. The regulations pertaining to the conduct of manicure emporiums are similar to those directed at barber shops. The health department of the city must file monthly reports to the state board of health on how the ordinances are being carried out.

BADGERS BESATEN IN WATER

CHICAGO, Merch 1.—Northwestern university swimmers had little trouble in defeating the cardinals, 28 to 21.

SALOONIST SLAIN BY CITY BANDIT

Would-be Robber Then Shoots Pedestrian and Is Overpowered by Messenger Boy

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., March 1.—The heart of Minneapolis' business district was the scene of a murder late Saturday night, when John C. Andren, saloonkeeper at 24 North Fourth street, was shot and killed by Alfonso Clancy, 22 years old. Robbery was the motive.

Shoots Pedestrian

Fleeing toward Hennepin avenue after the murder, Clancy also shot John D. Roberts through the left shoulder, the bullet passing a few inches over the heart. Roberts will recover.

Ordered to Put Up Hands

Andren was playing cards with several companions in the rear of his saloon when Clancy entered and ordered all to throw up their hands "Quit your kidding," Andren replied but when he realized the seriousness of the situation he grappled with Clancy.

Liquor Up to Senate

ST. PAUL, March 1.—(Special.)—E. E. Lobeck's bill to make all of Minnesota "dry" by statutory prohibition on January 1, 1916, will be sent out Monday by the state senate temperance committee without recommendation. This was agreed to after brief consideration in the committee. Senator Lobeck explained his bill as the product of experience and drawn from the prohibition laws of eleven states. Senator J. L. Vermilya moved that it be recommended to pass, but Senator F. D. Vibert of Cloquet, a county optionist, objected, and said that while he was willing to send the bill out, he could not vote for it.

Prisons for Women

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 1.—(Special.)—Minnesota's lawmakers who visited the prison at Stillwater yesterday returned to St. Paul practically agreed in their support of the bill authorizing construction of a building for the women inmates. Remodeling of the old prison as a place for the women did not gain much favor. It was the general impression that the structure should be sold and special quarters built.

Need Money for Plague

MINNEAPOLIS, March 1.—(Special.)—"If the legislature does not make the $750,000 appropriation asked for anti-tuberculosis work in Minnesota for the coming two years, Ramsey and Hennepin counties will suffer greatly by being unable to get state aid for the care of their tubercular patients, work on the construction of county sanatoria in the state will have to be stopped, and the institutions already operating will have to raise the money themselves if they keep their institutions going," Dr. Robinson Bosworth, executive secretary of the state advisory commission, declared yesterday.

PEOPLE TO PROFIT BY U. S. SCIENTIST'S VICTORY OVER TRUST EXPERTS

WASHINGTON, March 1.—A government scientist has defeated the best of the world's experts, in the employ of the great Standard Oil company, and the people of the United States, instead of a giant industrial combination will benefit.

Dr. Walter Rittman, chemical engineer of the bureau of mines, has invented a process to increase the production of gasoline from petroleum 200 per cent, and to manufacture toluol and benzol, the important bases for the manufacture of dyestuffs and high explosives, from crude petroleum.

Secretary of the Interior Lane asserts both processes will be so cheap that the United States must hereafter be considered a factor in the production of toluol and benzol, and of dyestuffs.

For several years the Standard Oil has had its experts working to make these discoveries.

The interior department will patent the Rittman processes and will license all manufactures to produce the fluids. Dr. Rittman will gain scientific fame but no monetary reward.

Under the Rittman discovery, the United States is independent of foreign nations, with regard to smokeless powder, the process guaranteeing necessary chemicals heretofore exclusively produced abroad.

MRS. MARY BOWEN DIES AT BURNS

BANGOR, Wis., March 1.—(Special.)—Following a short illness, caused by congestion of the lungs, Mrs. Mary Bowen died at her home at Burns Wednesday. Her father and mother and three sons survive. Funeral services and burial took place at Burns Friday.

Personals

Miss Lela Gahler of Rockland spent Saturday visiting friends here.

Harold Baebler returned to Madison Monday after visiting over Sunday with his parents.

D. Dayton, who had his foot crushed at Page's feed mill several weeks ago, is able to be out with the aid of crutches.

Miss Elizabeth Miller was a La Crosse caller Tuesday.

Miss Grace Halderson spent Sunday at Galseville visiting friends.

Miss Anna Neitzel visited over Sunday with her mother at Watertown.

Mrs. Charles Gerletti, Jr., came from West Salem Saturday visiting friends here.

George Streeton returned Tuesday morning from a visit with friends at Madison and Oshkosh.

The local high school basketball team played with the Onalaska highs here Saturday night. The local boys were victorious.

The Presbyterian Sewing circle met with Mrs. Winnie Bodmer on Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Lydia Cassel is ill with tonsilitis.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Peck held a family reunion at their home Sunday. Their son, Earl and family of Cashton and their daughter, Mrs. S. Steffen and baby of Winona, were present.

Jason Streeton went to Sparta on Tuesday to have an operation performed. He was accompanied by his mother.

Mrs. W. H. Page is visiting relatives at Chicago.

Mrs. Nellie Backus was a LaCrosse shopper Monday.

Mrs. Ethel Kissack Mar of Springfield, Sask., who was called to West Salem, to attend the funeral of her brother, spent several days here the first of the week visiting friends.

Mrs. Ursula Latsch spent the first part of the week with her niece, Mrs. Wendell McEldowney, at West Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wolf came from West Salem Tuesday and are making preparations for moving into their new home here.

Mrs. W. H. Preston entertained the Baptist choir at her home Saturday.

J. P. Evans who is ill with bronchial trouble, was removed to one of the La Crosse hospitals Wednesday.

BANGOR, WIS.

Mrs. David Jolivette of La Crosse, was a visitor at the hom her her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Evans, Wednesday.

Mrs. F. C. Witt and children and Miss Frieda Nissalke went to Dakota, Minn., Wednesday.

Joseph Hesselberg entertained the Senior class and teachers of the high school at a sleigh ride to his home at Rockland Wednesday evening. Supper was served and a fine time was had by all.

SUSPECT NABBED HERE

Earl H. Hotaling, arrested at a hotel here last night, is being held by the police, on a warrant from Green Bay, charging him with fraudulently selling insurance stock.

A strong mystery drama

"The Collingsby Pearls"

Two reel Eclair feature

King Baggot in

"Three Times and Out"

A comedy masterpiece.

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One big laugh.

A real 4 reel show.

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A two reel north woods story.

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Thread Silk Hose, brown only, 35c value, 6 pair for $1.00

50c Silk Ties, 3 for $1.00

$1.50 Spring weight Union Suits, Wednesday for $1.00

Any $1.50 Pleated Manhattan or Wilson Shirt in the house, Dollar Day only at $1.00

50c White Unlaundered Shirts, while they last, 6 for $1.00

Rattan and Brown Karatol large Suit Cases, ladies' or men's, special for Dollar Day at $1.00

Worsted Work Pants, special for Dollar Day, a pair $1.00

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Y. M. C. A. Handball

Class A

	W.	L.	Pct.
Erickson and Erickson.	4	2	.667
Evans and Solie	8	4	.667
Kircheis and Benezet ..	9	6	.600
Bearmore and Bradish .	2	4	.333
Ulrich and Daniels ...	1	5	.167
Class B			
Dickens and Verket ...	7	2	.778
Gran and Cilley	8	4	.667
Schulze and Muenster.	6	3	.667
Bonneville and Anderson	2	4	.333
Robinson and Robinson	1	11	.083
Class C			
Howe and Mills	6	0	1.000
Bentley and Taylor ...	10	8	.556
Barney and Dahlgren..	3	3	.500
Cameron and Swenson.	2	4	.333
Beckstead and Corey ...	3	9	.250
Class D			
Zein and Roellig	9	3	.750
Verket and Beranek ..	9	6	.600
Mayo and Westby	3	3	.500
Peterson and Bonneville	2	3	.333
Moore and Pieper	0	3	.000
Hankerson and Watkins	0	3	.000

BILLIARD CHAMPIONSHIPS

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., March 1.—The National Amateur Billiard championship association began at the Union League club here today a series of games for the Class A tournament championship.

ITALIAN DRIVER WINS GRAND PRIX

D. Resta Wins Race at the Panama-Pacific Exposition with Wilcox in Second Place

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., March 1.—On a track dangerously slippery with rain that fell during more than four hours of the contest, D. Resta, an Italian driver engaged in his first American race, won the Grand Prix automobile race at the Panama-Pacific exposition on Saturday. His time was 7 hours, 7 minutes, 57½ seconds. At the finish line he was three laps in the lead. Howard Wilcox, in No. 26, was second, time 7:14:36, and Hughie Hughes, No. 28, was third, time 7:21:46; Louis Disbrow, No. 12, fourth, time 7:31:38, and Gil Anderson, No. 5, fifth, time 7:34:51. There is some question as to fourth and fifth places which can only be adjusted by a recheck of the entire score.

Before the race was two-thirds over Resta went out in front and tsayed there, warding off rushes of Wilcox and Hughes, who fought valiantly for the leadership. Resta won $3,000, the other four named dividing $4,000.

Y. M. C. A. Billiards

Class A

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Fox (67)	6	0	1.000
Young (140)	2	0	1.000
Miller (89)	7	2	.778
Mills (94)	7	4	.636
Huebner (150)	4	5	.444
Beisel (72)	6	9	.400
Schweizer (300)	3	6	.333
Dahlgren (127)	3	10	.231
Ulrich (66)	0	3	.000
Class B			
Jacobs (44)	17	7	.708
Muenster (46)	15	8	.652
Bearmore (52)	11	6	.647
Weisse (52)	6	4	.600
Howe (45)	7	6	.538
Peterson (52)	10	10	.500
Schulze (46)	4	6	.400
Hyde (56)	1	2	.333
Tuteur (53)	5	13	.278
Kline (52)	3	10	.231
Fuller (54)	0	5	.000
Class C			
Puckett (35)	17	6	.739
Montagut (40)	11	6	.647
Richter (37)	6	4	.600
Boyd (34)	3	2	.600
Moore (34)	6	5	.545
Robb (40)	3	3	.500
Pieper (35)	2	4	.333
Foster (42)	3	8	.273
Mayo (28)	1	7	.125
Ehrman (28)	1	7	.125

BOSTONFANS LOOK FOR ANOTHER FLAG

Bean Town Bugs Already Are Counting the Chances of the Braves and Red Sox

AMERICANS HAVE EDGE NOW

Red Sox Appear at Present to Be in the Best Trim; Braves' Condition Uncertain

(By a United Press Staff Correspond ent.)

BOSTON, March 1.—To say that baseball fans in Boston are already figuring to pack the stands in Bean Town for next season's world's series is putting it pretty strong, and the fans elsewhere concede Bostonians the right to "figure" all they want, but it's a fact that grows, stronger every day. Taking all in all, from a viewpoint at this end of the line, both teams appear to have A-1 chances of leading at the end of the 1915 season.

Of the two the Red Sox look to be in better trim than the Nationals, though the Braves are toting the world championship pennant.

The Braves' chances this year, all around the circuit, are popularly supposed to be of the best. The team can still be considered a young one. The acquisition of Sherwood Magee will prove a great advantage both in the infield and at the plate, but, getting under the surface, there are many things to be considered. For instance:

Evers' condition cannot be forecast with any certainty, despite the sunny statements that he is fully recovered, and is the same as ever. It is well known that the star second baseman hasn't the strength physically, that he works entirely on his nerves. When the season of 1914 was finished Evers was taken with a heavy cold and during the early part of the winter suffered from pneumonia. With the exception of a few weeks, he has spent the past winter at a camp in northern New York. He is now down south getting the remainder of his health back. Should Evers' condition prevent him from starting off with the team the Braves will be at a sad disadvantage at the jump. Some figure that the confidence of the young players will offset this, but it is extremely doubtful.

Another gloomy outlook is the fact that Bill James may hold out, as he already has threatened. Should this actually be the case the Braves will lose one of their best twirlers. It was "Big" Bill that did such effective work in last year's series. With him on the other side of the fence Stallings will have to travel some distance to secure another his equal. Still another point for consideration arises. Will Stallings be able to hold this bunch of youngsters in leash as he did last year? At that time they were a bunch, really untried, without teamwork and on a club that had been traveling in the cellar for several seasons. Under Stallings they played to the highest notch in the baseball world and if he can continue to hold them, there appears to be little doubt but that the Braves will give a desperate fight to any team that comes near them.

The Red Sox will open with practically the same lineup as they had at the close of last season. Very little has been doing in their camp the past winter. All the "doing" has been with the other clubs and, taking these changes into consideration, especially the Athletics, the Red Sox appear stronger than the year they won the big series. At the start of the 1914 season the Sox showed a decided weakness both at the bat and on the first bag. It caused a small eruption and toward the end of the season Carrigan had the team working in fine shape. The trip around the globe during the winter of 1913-14 is blamed for causing Tris Speaker to fall down in his batting until the middle of last season. He picked up then and finished going strong. The addition of a "regular" first baseman, in Hoblitzel, did more to put the club on its feet than anything else. The fact that the present lineup has worked the best part of a season together raises the hopes of the fans to the extent of picturing the 1915 American league and possibly the championship pennant floating in the Massachusetts bay breezes.

MANY PEOPLE SEE SKI TOURNAMENT

From a standpoint of attendance, the ski tournament at Pammel's hill south of the city yesterday, was a success, although mismanagement on the part of the jumpers failed to make their renumerations large.

Scores of automobiles and carriages and more than three hundred persons on foot witnessed the sport. Ole Bjerka, Christ Bjerka, Aksel Oss and Carl Laum, professionals, were those jumping.

Ole Bjerka, Chicago, made the record of the day with a leap of 92 feet. According to the jumpers the slide was not constructed for long leaps. Following several successful leaps, a dozen or more failed to stand on their feet following the leap.

TAX ON HOSPITALS IS NOW PROPOSED

MADISON, Wis., March 1.—(Special.)—The taxation of all hospitals, homes and asylums, where a fee is charged for the care of the patient is proposed in a bill that has just been reported by the assembly committee on revision to the house. The bill which is offered by Assemblyman Hart of Oshkosh will be referred to a committee of the legislature for consideration at tonight's meeting.

In explaining the bill Assemblyman Hart said today that many of the hospitals are not taxed because they are said to be charitable institutions. He illustrated this by saying that in the city of Oshkosh there are two hospitals but a few blocks apart. One, he said, was a private hospital and the other was not. One paid heavy taxes, he declared, and the other paid none.

Another bill by Assemblyman Hart which will be sent to a committee of the legislature tonight for consideration provides that the amount of church land exempt from taxation be reduced from ten acres to one acre. He said that this bill would discourage the churches in being the holders of large tracks of property. Under the terms of his measure where a church had property in excess of one acre it would be taxed.

ROOKIES AND REGULARS

MARLIN, Texas.—The full squad of Giants, numbering around fifty, today started real training. The veterans, including Matthewson, Marquard, Meyers, Doyle and the rest, arrived here last night.

NEW YORK.—Manager Bill Donovan and his squad are today speeding southward to Savannah, Ga., where they will be joined in a few days by the regular battery of men who have been boiling out at Hot Springs, Ark.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas. — The Cleveland Indians arrived here for spring training today, finding weather excellent, although a bit cool.

GULFPORT, Miss.—Under skies that threatened rain, Manager Jennings, led his recruits and a few regulars out for their initial practice today.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va. — Fifteen Washington rookies and regulars tumbled out of their bed early today in the clear, fine Virginia morning air, for their first practice.

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla.—Three Phillies, Luderus, Alexander and Killifer, joined lonesome Mayer here. They will be the reception committee to welcome Pat Moran and his crew on their way by rail from Jacksonville.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla.—After 77 hours of strenuous deck walking, the Athletics bid fond good-bye to their shipmates, the Dodgers, this morning, and started for training quarters in the suburbs.

AUGUSTA, Ga.—Rebel Oakes and the first detachment of Pitt-Feds, were expected to reach here late today for spring practice. Everything will be given final touches in preparation for them.

MACON, Ga.—The champion Boston Braves are expected here either today or tomorrow for their annual spring wrestle with Old Man Condition. Manager Stallings will come over from his Haddock home to supervise the work.

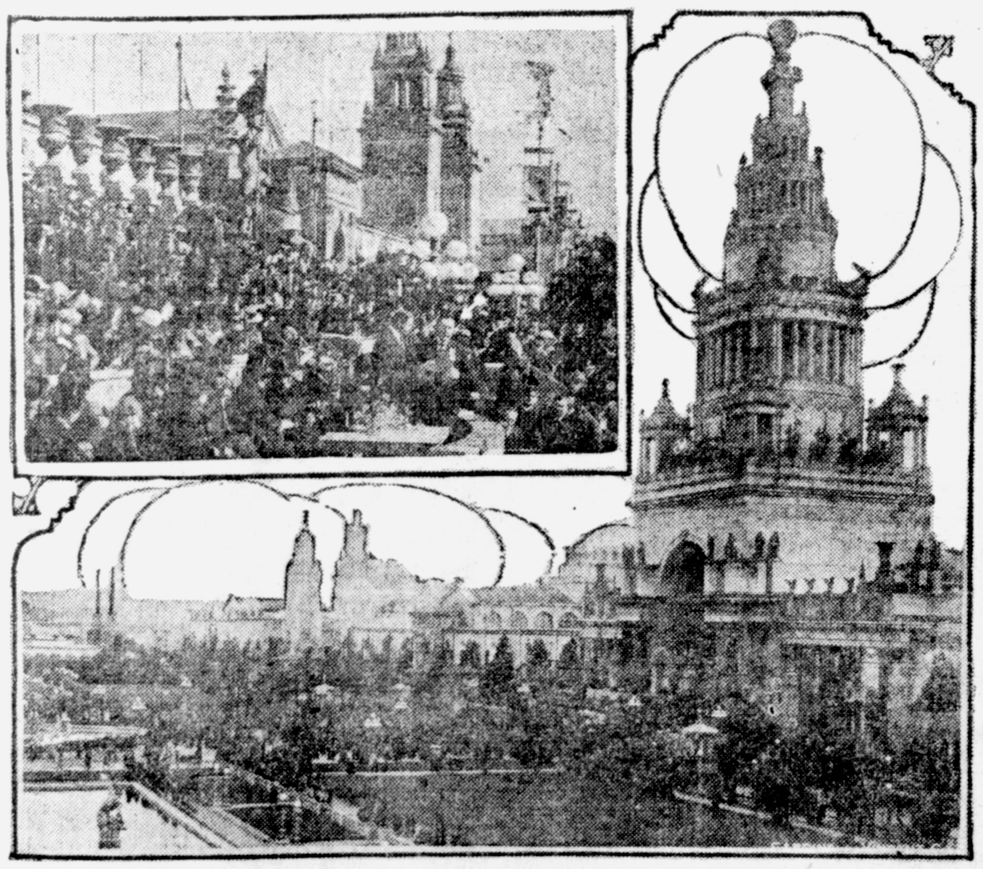
PASO ROBLES, Cal.—Following invasions at San Jose and Friseo by the regulars and rookies, respectively, the White Sox resumed operations here today.

TAMPA, Fla.—Full of spryness and pep, the Cubs were to start their first day of spring work here today. Superstitious members of the squad declared it was a good omen—and appropriate—that a Mr. Bear and a Mr. Wolfe should have been among the reception committee here.

WALTER WILL PLAY WITH WHALES OR FARM SAYS GILMORE

CHICAGO, March 1. — Walter Johnson, according to President Gilmore of the Federal league, is coming to pitch for the Whales next summer. Gilmore and the Chicago delegation which attended the Buffalo meeting, were back on the job here today. Gilmore claimed that "developments" in the past two days, have convinced him that Johnson either will pitch for the Chifeds or go back to his Coffeyville, Kas., farm for the summer.

PANAMA EXPO IN FULL BLAST; PICTURES FROM 'FRISCO'S FAIR



At the left, President Charles C. Moore of the Panama exposition (arrow) is seen making the official opening day address, February 20. The other picture, also taken during the opening day of the exposition, shows the big crowds on the grounds. In the foreground is seen the Tower of Jewels, the dominating piece of architecture at the fair.

SPORTS

HIGH SCHOOL MEN REPEAT BY HANDING DEFEAT TO MADISON

Horne's Tossers Win Their Second Game from the Capital City Team by 18 to 8 Score

TIGHT GUARDING FEATURES GAME

Madison Men Are Able to Make but Three Field Baskets During the Game

For the second time this season La Crosse high school Saturday won from the Madison high basketball team. The score was 18 to 8. Tight guarding and hard luck kept the capital city boys from scoring. At the end of the first half the score was 12 to 4 in favor of La Crosse, but at the beginning of the second period the Madison team rallied and made two baskets. Horne's men did not score until late in the half.

Zeisler made a basket during the first minute of play and followed it in a few minutes with another. The game progressed slowly for the next few minutes, neither side scoring until Wojahn slipped one in over the Madison guard's finger tips.

Fay and Kulcynski each made another basket in the first half while Fuller of Madison made one field basket and Gill made two points on fouls.

Tighter basketball was played on both sides in the second frame, the teams working together better than in the first. Not so many fouls were called but time had to be taken out five times for injuries to men on both teams. Zeisler scored another field basket and two free throws in this half and Wojahn slipped in with two baskets in succession. Gill and Parr of Madison each made one field basket. Layman was put in in place of Wojahn in the last few minutes and Bruha replaced Kelly at guard.

The lineup:

La Crosse—Zeisler (captain), f; Wojahn, Layman, f; Fay, c; Kulcynski, g; Kelly, Bruha, g.

Madison—Parr, f; Sweet, f; Gill, c; Fuller, g; Weidenback, g.

The Advanced Sophomores defeated the Freshmen by a score of 19 to 4 in the preliminary. Superior team work on the part of the Sophs was responsible for the victory. The score stood 4 to 2 in favor of the upper classmen at the end of the first half.

A reception and dance was given after the game.

GOOD SCORES MADE IN FIRST WEEKLY MEET OF GUN CLUB

Frank Schwalbe, Jr., Lands in First Place with 49 of 50 Birds Broken

The beginning, not the end of a perfect day, greeted the sharpshooters of the La Crosse Gun club yesterday morning as they gathered at the club's range on the north side for the first weekly shoot of the season.

Frank Schwalbe, Jr., demonstrated that the lapse of several months has had little deteriorating effect on his shooting ability as he broke 49 of 50 birds shot at. C. C. Mitchell was at his heels with a score of 48. J. A. Bartl, Fred Dittman and W. Spence tied at third place with scores of 44.

The glint of the blinding sun on the barrels of the pieces hindered many from making better scores.

The scores:

	Shot At.	Broke.
F. Schwalbe	50	49
C. C. Mitchell	50	48
J. A. Bartl	50	44
Fred Dittman	50	44
W. Spence	50	44
C. F. Sutor	50	43
A. L. Moll	50	40
W. A. Wager	50	39
A. J. Roberge	50	33
H. B. Bozard	15	7

BADGERS OVERWHELM MINNESOTA TOSSERS

MADISON, Wis., March 1.—Playing a fast game of basketball, Coach Meanwell's men came back strong against Minnesota Saturday night, defeating the northerners by a score of 31 to 7.

The Badgers started out with a burst of speed and within a few minutes of play every man on the Wisconsin team had registered a basket. The half ended with the score 20 to 5 in favor of Wisconsin.

In the second half Coach Maenwell used five substitutes—Thomas, Napieienski, Floden, Brown and Anderson.

CLABY AT HUDSON GO

CHICAGO, March 1.—Jimmy Clabby and Manager Larney Lichtenstein will be at the ringside at Hudson tomorrow night to challenge the winner of the ten round bout between Mike Gibbons and Eddie McGoorty, Lichteistein announced today. Clabby wants to scrap Gibbons over the long route.

North Side Dollar Day

$ DAY Specials

Combination No. I

Blueing, reg. 5c bottle	$ .04
Toothpicks, box	.04
Yeast Foam, package	.04
Vanilla, bottle	.08
Pepper, pkg.	.04
Matches, box	.03
Lenox Soap, 2 bars	.03
Bulk Starch, per lb.	.04
Toilet Soap, bar	.04
Sal Soda, 2 lbs.	.04
Eagle Lye, per can	.09
Lighthouse Wash. Powder 2 pkgs.	.09
Richelieu Table Salt, reg. 10c pkg.	.09
Talcum Powder, reg. 10c can	.08
Toilet Paper, roll	.04
Baking Powder, Calumet, can	.09
Dutch Cleanser, can	.07
	$1.00

Combination No. II

Corn, per can	$ .08
Peas, per can	.08
Canned Pumpkin, can	.08
Rasins, 12 oz. pkg.	.09
Snyder's Beans, large size	.18
Lion Brand Beans	.09
Hominy, per can	.09
Cocoa, ½ lb can	.23
Bakers Choc. ¼ lb. cake	.08
	$1.00

Combination No. III

Sugar, 4 lbs.	$ .25
Oatmeal, pkg.	.09
Swan's Downs Cake flour, package	.23
Lard, per pound	.13
Summar Sausage, lb.	.17
Picnic Ham, pound	.12
Dozen Clothes Pins	.01
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1 sack Salt	.10
1 box Matches	.05
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3 bars Gal. Soap	.15
½ lb. Ginger Snaps	.05
1 bottle Bluing	.10
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Who Discovered The North Pole?

Within the last few months considerable interest has been manifested by senators and congressmen in Washington, on the much mooted question of "Who Discovered the North Pole." Five bills have been introduced, one in the senate and four in the house, all aimed to adjust the polar contention and give official recognition to Dr. Cook. Several representatives have made speeches on the subject favorable to Dr. Cook, and for the information of the students who are writing essays on the subject, we are going to quote a few paragraphs from the Congressional Records containing extensions of remarks as voiced by some of our statesmen.

From the Congressional Record for February 10, 1915, page 3874, extention of remarks by Hon. Wm. J. Fields of Kentucky: Br. Fields opened his remarks by explaining why he was interested in the adjustment of the polar contention and quoted the bill which retired Civil Engineer Peary and gave him a pension.

It will be noticed that the above bill does not accredit Mr. Peary with having discovered the north pole, but with having reached the north pole. Therefore the resolution does not recognize Mr. Pearl as the discoverer of the pole, nor does it preclude Dr. Cook's claim that he discovered the pole on April 21, 1908, which was more than eleven months before Mr. Peary reached the pole according to the date given by Peary himself, which was April 6, 1909.

I am informed that some gentlemen have said on the floor of this house that congress is not concerned about this matter, and that it has no jurisdiction over same. In reply to this statement I desire to ask, if congress is not concerned about this matter, why, then, did it tender its thanks to Peary for his polar attainment? Nor did it stop at a vote of thanks, but by the same resolution it granted him a pension at $6,000 per annum for the remainder of his life, and by other governmental action he has been paid many thousand dollars out of the public treasury during his various leaves of absence from the naval service, much of which time was spent in polar explorations. This enormous sum, the thanks of congress for his polar attainment, and the pension granted him was an admission and an implied acknowledgment on the part of congress of its interest in, and jurisdiction over, the polar efforts and achievements or controversies of American citizens.

It can not be argued in either justice or sincerity that Mr. Peary should receive the special favors of congress for his polar attainment because he happened to be fortunate enough to be in the United States navy. First, no man would dare contend that a naval officer should be given special advantage over a private citizen in a civil pursuit which was not a part of his official duty, and, second, the recommendation of the secretary of the navy on the resolution which acknowledged Mr. Peary's claim for Arctic explorations recommends that he is not entitled to such recognition for naval services, but throws him solely upon his claim as a private citizen for Arctic explorations. I submit copy of the report of the secretary of the navy, just referred to, which reads as follows:

Navy Department,
Washington, Feb. 10, 1910.

To the Chairman Committee on Naval Affairs, House of Representatives:

My Dear Congressman—The receipt is acknowledged of your letter of the 8th instant, inclosing a bill (H. R. 19971) providing for the appointment of Commander Robert R. Peary rear admiral in the navy as an additional number in grade, and placing him upon the retired list, and requesting for the committee the views and recommendations of the department thereon.

In reply I have the honor to inform you that Robert E. Peary entered the naval service of the United States as a civil engineer on October 26, 1881, and has been an officer of the navy continuously since that date, performing the duties required of a civil engineer under orders from the navy department, except when on leave.

During his service in the navy Civil Engineer Peary has been granted eight different leaves of absence abroad, for exploration, aggregating in all about sixteen years of his connection with the navy. . . .

It would appear that the bill in question is framed for the purpose of rewarding Civil Engineer Peary for having reached the north pole; and while having successfully accomplished this self imposed task is most commendable and reflects great credit not only upon him but also upon tthe entire nation, his various exploring expeditions can not be regarded as having been conducted for a strictly military or naval purpose, and for this reason it seems inappropriate to confer upon him a title for which his previous education, training and service have not fitted him.

It is therefore recommended that in the title of the bill and in the fourth line thereof the word 'commander" be changed to "civil engineer," the latter being Mr. Peary's correct official designation, and, further, that instead of appointing him a rear admiral and placing him upon the retired list as such, that he be retired as a civil engineer with the highest retired pay allowable to the rank of rear admiral under existing laws.

Faithfully yours,
G. VON L. MEYER.

Then, if one American citizen should receive congressional recognition for Arctic achievements, why should not another American citizen receive the same recognition and the same thanks if he can establish to the satisfaction of the Congress that he attained the same achievement, and attained it many months prior to the date that Mr. Peary claims to have done so? Dr. Cook announced to the world that he had reached the North Pole prior to the announcement of Mr. Peary that he had done so, and was the first citizen of his own or any other country to claim to have reached the long-sought goal. Dr. Cook says he will establish by expert testimony, if given an opportunity, his claim of priority in reaching the pole. He states that more than sixty Arctic explorers and scientific experts from different parts of the world have recognized him as the discoverer of the pole, and that not one Arctic explorer or scientific expert has disputed same, and that he is in possession of documents proving this acknowledgement; and these documents were written after the publication of the polar records of both himself and Peary. So, in view of the claim of Dr. Cook that each and all Arctic explorers who have spoken on the controversy have recognized him as the discoverer of the pole, it is, in my opinion, incumbent upon Congress to accord him the same treatment that it accorded Peary. It should give him an opportunity to establish his claim of priority by giving him and his witnesses a hearing before a committee of Congress; and if, after a thorough hearing that committee is convinced that Dr. Cook did reach the pole, he should then receive national recognition through the Congress of the United States, which would automatically establish his claim of priority, as there is no controversy between Cook and Peary as to the date each claims to have reached the pole. He is an American citizen the same as Peary, and should receive equal treatment at the hands of the American Congress. Justice demands that he be granted a hearing by the same Congress that gave Peary recognition, and a just public sentiment will sooner or later force such a hearing; and it is my contention that it should not be delayed, but should be granted while the expert witnesses who are familiar with the data and the facts and who are capable of passing upon the same and giving competent testimony are obtainable. And in this connection I make the contention that the weight of expert computations on the observations of both Cook and Peary is in favor of Cook. As a basis of Peary's claim in this regard I submit copy of a letter of Hon. O. H. Tittman, superintendent of the Coast and Geodetic Survey, which reads as follows:

Department of Commerce,
United States Coast and Geodetic Survey,
Washington, March 4, 1914.

Mr. E. N. Norton,
6952 Harvard Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

Sir:

The computations of Mr. Peary's work were made by Messrs. Hugh C. Mitchell and Charles R. Duvall, who were employed for the purpose by Mr. Peary. These computations were, therefore, not made officially by the Coast and Geodetic Survey, although this office has always vouched for the accuracy of the work done by these two men.

Respectfully,
O. H. TITTMAN, Superintendent.

It will be noted from the above letter that the observations of Mr. Peary were computed by only two gentlemen who were not acting officially for the Coast and Geodetic Survey in their computations of Peary's observation but were paid for same by Mr. Peary himself. I do not question the integrity of these gentlemen or the correctness of their computations of Peary's observations, but in connection with their report I wish to call attention to the fact that the observations of Dr. Cook were computed by Mr. Clark Browne, associate member of the American Society of Civil Engineers and Mr. Browne's computations were approved by David R. Lee, civil engineer, B. S., Cornell University, 1889, also a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers; J. M. Taylor, M. E., Cornell University, 1888; E. G. Raynor, civil engineer, B. S., New York University, 1903; R. C. Holt, civil engineer, and J. C. Green, associate member American Society of Civil Engineers, Michigan Agricultural college, 1901. All five of these gentlemen are scientific experts from different parts of the country, and four of them were not then and are not now acquainted with Dr. Cook. Therefore if we accept the report of the two scientific experts who computed the observations of Mr. Peary, we should also accept the report of the five scientific experts who computed the observations of Dr. Cook, and who show by their computations that Cook reached the pole.

Not only do the principles of justice demand that Dr. Cook be given a hearing and that this controversy be settled for all time, but our educational interest demand its settlement. The students of history of the present and future are entitled to have the controversy settled while the claimants are both living and each able to defend his case, so that they may not be misled by history or left to guess at the facts.

It is my opinion and my contention that the controversy should be settled and settled right. And in the hope that it may lead to that end I am introducing the following resolution:

Be it resolved, etc., That the thanks of Congress, be, and the same are hereby, tendered to Dr. Frederick A. Cook for his Arctic explorations, resulting in his reaching the North Pole.

This resolution is practically identical with Section 2 of the resolution extending the thanks of Congress to Mr. Peary, and if it should be passed by Congress it will automatically settle the question of priority of discovery in favor of Dr. Cook. I introduce this resolution in the hope that it may lead to a full hearing and proper and final settlement of the question in controversy. If Dr. Cook can establish his claim that he reached the North Pole, as he says he can, he should not only be recognized by the Congress and the country as the discoverer of the North Pole, but should be commended by the world for the brave, fearless, and untiring fight which he has waged for his rights.

To be continued in Tuesday's Tribune. On account of lack of space we are unable to finish this article today but tomorrow we will publish quotations from extensions of remarks by two other representatives, in the Congressional Records.

Watch The Tribune for further information regard the essay contest.

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NORTH SIDE

WOLF IS KILLED BY NORTH SIDER ON CAMPBELL FARM

John McKenzie Shoots Great Grey Beast Which Has Terrorized Salem Farmers

What is thought to be one of the last of the steadily decreasing band of wolves in La Crosse county was shot yesterday by John J. McKenzie, 1440 Avon street, on his farm in the town of Campbell. The wolf, a great shaggy beast, is thought by Mr. McKenzie to be the leader of the pair which last winter terrorized farmers in the vicinity of West Salem.

The animal was seen yesterday morning by farmers crossing the McKenzie farm. Mr. McKenzie was notified over the telephone and he and his sons, Archie and Ralph, went hunting immediately. The wolf was sighted by Mr. McKenzie about 11 o'clock and was brought down with one shot.

DOLPHIN FUNERAL HELD

The funeral of Lucien Dolphin, former resident of French Island, who died Friday in St. Paul, was held at 2 o'clock this afternoon from the Caledonia Street Methodist church, Rev. M. E. Fraser officiating. Members of John Flynn post, G. A. R., of which Mr. Dolphin was a member, attended the services. Burial was made at La Crescent.

VALUABLE SILKS PASS CITY

Silk to the value of more than half a million dollars passed through the city at 3 o'clock this afternoon over the Milwaukee. The train was made up of eight cars.

DISMISS PLEA

WASHINGTON, March 1.—A. Y. Jamieson's appeal from an adverse decision in his suit for $214,000 damages against the United States Farm Land company of St. Paul, was dismissed today by the supreme court. He claimed a brokerage fee for selling San Joaquin, California, land.

Whale Not Fast Swimmer.

The whale's progress through the water is limited to ten or twelve miles an hour.

GERMANY REPLIES IN FRIENDLY TONE

BERLIN, via The Hague, March 1.—Germany today delivered to United States Ambassador Gerard her reply to the last American note. From high authorities it is learned that the tone of the reply was most friendly.

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North Side Briefs

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Miss Caroline Limpert, 227 Mill street, entertained at a six o'clock dinner Sunday. Those present were the Misses Delia Ostrander and Lottie Hughes of Hokah, and Caroline limpert and Mrs. Henry Liesenfeld.

The Misses Delia Ostrander and Lottie Hughes of Hokah, are the guests of Miss Caroline Limpert, of 227 Mill street.

Miss Lucile Hettman, 1432 Kane street, entertained a party of friends at her home Saturday evening, the occasion being her birthday.

John Flynn Relief corps entertained the post at a six o'clock dinner on Tuesday evening at their hall, 732 Mill street.

Mrs. T. Doebert, Preston, is visiting north side friends.

Miss Ella Picha, 1637 Loomis street, is ill at her home with la grippe.

Mrs. Martin Hickey, 1346 Charles street, left last night for Chicago to attend the funeral of a relative.

Mrs. Richard Cooms has returned to her home in St. Paul, after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wren, 1616 Prospect street.

Miss Maude O'Brien returned to Stoddard after a visit at the home of Mrs. Katherine McCarty, 1426 Gillette street.

Miss Veronica Murphy, who spent the past few days at her home, 1033 Charles street, has returned to Kilbourn, Wis.

Fred Rouse, who spent Sunday at his home, 814 Rublee street, has returned to Minneapolis.

Erick Erickson has returned to Savanna, after a few days' visit at his home, 1727 George street.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Boyle have returned to their home in Minneapolis after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Boyle, 1522 Kane street.

Mrs. J. Mullender, Tomah, is visiting at the home of P. J. Larkin, of 529 Caledonia street.

Mrs. R. A. Taylor, 932 Rose street, left last night on a business trip to Chicago.

Mrs. Charles Rimmert is confined to her home, 512 Avon street, with tonsilitis.

The Misses Vera and Vesta Higbee have returned to their home at 733 Caledonia street, after spending the weekend with friends at Barre Mills.

Miss Pauline Braun, Cassville, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Dwyer, 1548 George street.

Clyde Nelson, Arthur McGuire and Orman Rewey left yesterday for Dubuque, where they will visit friends for a few days.

Miss Mable Gunderson, 1022 Avon street, is confined to her home by illness.

HORSES FOR WAR ZONE

Nineteen carloads of horses from Montana and the Dakotas, the pick of the ranges, passed through the city at 6 o'clock this morning over the Milwaukee road bound for the war zone in Europe. The number of horses approximated two hundred.

CALHOUN CHILD DIES

Kenneth Calhoun, aged 5 years, of Cashton, died yesterday morning at a local hospital. The body was taken to Cashton last night for burial.

JOHN MULDER'S HAT MAY BE THROWN TOO

Another hat is today on the edge of the ring in the mayoralty race already to be hurled into the center according to gossips at the city hall and on the North side. John Mulder is said to be the fourth aspirant for the honors. Mr. Mulder told The TRIBUNE this afternoon he is undecided as to what course he will pursue. "Things don't look just right to me yet," he said.

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COLONIAL PARTY HELD AT TOMAH

Ladies of Shakespeare Club in Costumes of Revolutionary Epoch Enjoy Party

TOMAH, Wis., March 1.—(Special.)—The annual patriotic party of the Shakespeare club was held Friday at the home of Mrs. W. Warren. Colonial costumes were worn, the ladies presenting a pretty group in powdered wigs and old lace, with great, great grandmother's hoops. Four wore male attire, representing George Washington, Miles Standish and two as colored servants.

A very interesting program was presented. Miss Inez Corrigan recited, "How Grandma Danced the Minuet;" a quintet of colonial darkies, three women and two men, sang a number of southern plantation songs; there was an old-fashioned spelling bee and a history contest.

A display of colonial relics proved interesting—everyday things of the time, from fancy snuff box to snuffers, candle moulds and volumes umes of the day. A copy of the Ulster County Gazette, published on the day of George Washington's funeral and containing an account of it, was studied with interest enhanced by the fact that most of its space was devoted to battles in the European war then in progress. The paper is the property of B. F. Locke, La Crosse, by whom it was loaned to the Shakespeare club.

CZAR OF CONEY LOSES JOB

ALBANY, March 1.—Fred Lundy, once the "Czar of Coney Island," had to quit his job as transfer tax appraiser today. Loss of the $4,000 political job is the third of the misfortunes which have overtaken Lundy. Once he owned oyster beds thought to be worth a million or so, and they proved worthless. Last year he was beaten at the primaries, in a race for office.

Another favorite sport with most folk is making mountains out of molehills.

ELABORATE DRESS FOR TABLOID SHOW

Harry Shannon and Big Company Make Lots of Fun at Majestic in "Nobody Home"

In what is without doubt the most elaborately staged tabloid musical comedy that has visited La Crosse this season, Harry Shannon and a large company opened what promises to be a most successful four days' run at the Majestic yesterday.

Harry Shannon is chief funmaker of the cast, but he has by no means a monopoly on the laugh production. Miss Mabel Walzer, in the character role of Rifka, kitchen mechanic; Pat Barrett as Filbert Fussie, crabby old gentleman in search of quiet, and Robert Earle as Reuben, a handy jack of all trades, vie with the leading man for honors as comedians.

There is life and movement to "Nobody Home" from the opening curtain to the last. It abounds with humorous situations and the individual specialties are diverting without exception. Several unique features brought salvos of applause, including a "shadowgraph" and a combination of vaudeville stunts toward the close of the show.

The production is one of Boyle Woolfolk's tabloids, and is even better planned for entertainment than Max Bloom's "Sunny Side of Broadway," which will be remembered as Woolfolk's last offering at the Majestic.

MACHINERY CONSOLIDATION

PATERSON, N. J., March 1.—The stockholders of the United Shoe Machinery corporation met here today to take action upon a proposed consolidation with the United States Shoe Machinery corporation. The corporation is the holder of all but a small portion of the stock of the company, which has been held out and may cause great trouble.

Fortunate is the man who really deserves his own good opinion of himself.

Personals

B. A. Yeomen class adoption, dance, Tuesday. Card party 2:30.

J. E. Ulrich, Winneconne, spent Saturday in the city on business.

Lee Owen has returned to his home in Durand, Wis., after spending a few days with friends and relatives in the city.

W. P. Latshaw, Durand, was a business caller in the city Saturday.

H. L. Schrup, Dubuque, spent Saturday in the city on business.

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A. Ingvaldson, Caledonit, Minn., was a caller in the city for a few hours Saturday.

Owen Skrabeck, Harmony, has returned to his home from a brief visit with friends and relatives in the city.

The annual meeting of the members of the Oak Grove Cemetery Association of La Crosse will be held in the office of the Secretary Wednesday, April 7, 1915, at 3 o'clock p. m.

G. W. Teal, St. Paul, called in the city Friday and Saturday on business.

George Watson, Seneca, was a business caller in the city Saturday.

G. W. Gilbert has returned to his home in Caledonia from a short visit with friends in this city.

The La Crosse County Hunting and Fishing association will hold a meeting at the court house Monday evening. Everyone invited.

A. K. Sundby, Harmony, spent Saturday on business in the city.

E. E. Ristau, North Freedom, transacted business in the city Saturday.

James I. Wilson, Mankato, was a business caller in the city for a few hours Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hammer, 217 South Twenty-third street, are the parents of a baby girl, born Saturday.

Mrs. George E. Stintzi, Minneapolis, is spending this week in the city with her mother, Mrs. G. J. Morgan on Vine street.

Phone Gateway City Transfer Co. for your next hack call. Phone 179.

Ralph Chryst is recovering from an operation for appendicitis at the La Crosse hospital.

WEATHER BULLETIN

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Charleston	42	50	.38
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Washington	24	42	0
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Chicago	28	32	0
La Crosse	12	32	0
Madison	20	32	0
Memphis	30	36	.12
Milwaukee	22	32	0
Bismarck	14	34	0
Huron	12	28	0
Kansas City	28	38	0
St. Paul	22	..	0
Boise	34	48	0
Denver	24	44	0
Helena	24	40	0
Miles City	10	36	0
Portland, Ore.	40	52	0

HARPALYCE FOR BELGIUM

NEW YORK, March 1.—The Belgium Relief commission ship Harpalyce, 8470 tons, will sail today loaded for Belgium with a relief cargo from the storehouses of South Brooklyn.

Dollar Day Bargains

Sterling Silver, Cut Glass, Jewelry, etc. High grade goods at prices way below cost. A chance for one day only to get the biggest and best bargains ever offered in La Crosse.

2 Heavy Weight Sterling Silver Tea Spoons, regular price 95c, each, for $1.00

Sterling Silver Cream Ladles, Cold Meat Forks, Bon Bon Spoons, Pickle Forks, etc., for $1.00

Prices on these range from $2.00 to $3.50.

1 set (6) Rogers Fruit Knives, regular price $1.75, for $1.00

1 set Silver Plated Nut Picks and Cracker, 12 picks, 2 crackers, for $1.00

Umbrellas, $2.00, $2.50 and $3.00 values $1.00

La Vallieres, gold filled, for $1.00

Solid Gold Neck Chain with Locket, Cross or Heart, for $1.00

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TROTTMAN QUITS AS 'U. W.' REGENT RAPS VAN HISE

Milwaukeean Resigns as Head of Board and Criticizes Extravagance of University Men

MADISON, Wis., March 1.—(Special.)—James F. Trottman, Milwaukee, has resigned as president of the board of regents of the University of Wisconsin because he does not believe the university is willing to cooperate with the administration of Gov. E. L. Philipp in a program of economy and retrenchment.

Mr. Trottman filed his resignation and explanation with the board of regents Saturday. His term as a regent expired in February, but no one has been named to succeed him.

The disposition of the board to build a new physics building and the superstructure of the addition to the soils building, he points to as a specific example of extravagance, as well as a violation of an agreement with former Gov. Francis E. McGovern and lack of harmony on the part of President Charles R. Van Hise toward the "economy and retrenchment" program of the administration.

Responsibility for the financial policy pursued at the university is laid at the door of President Van Hise.

"I am satisfied," said Mr. Trottman, "it was our duty not only not to make use of haste after the election to proceed to new construction, but to give the legislature of 1915, elected on a retrenchment and economy platform, opportunity to reconsider, with care and prudence, the big appropriations made by the legislature of 1913."

Mr. Trottman maintains that not until after the present legislature has had opportunity to reconsider and act upon these appropriations, will the board of regents of the university have fulfilled its part of an agreement entered into with former Gov. McGovern.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

State of Wisconsin—In Probate—La Crosse County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Oscar F. Anderson, late of the City of La Crosse, in said County, deceased.

Letters testamentary in said matter having been granted to Lillian Ruth Anderson Latham, of Atlanta, Georgia, notice is hereby given that six months after the 6th day of February, A. D. 1915, are allowed to creditors to present their claims against said deceased for examination and allowance; and that said Court will on the 10th day of August, A. D. 1915, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of said Court in the Courthouse in the City of La Crosse, in said County, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased.

Dated this 6th day of February, 1915.

By the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge.

JAMES THOMPSON,
Attorney for Estate.

ESCAPES WAR TO DIE HERE

RAPID CITY, S. D., March 1.—After escaping from Russia because he feared he would be forced to go to war and be killed, a Russian laborer, whom police believe to be Joseph Jahnsky, fell under a passenger train and was ground to pieces. He climbed into a snowdrift to let a train pass and slipped down just in time to get in front of the train.

FARMERS MEET PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON, March 1. — Ten boys and girls of Norristown, Pa., who have been successful in raising corn, potatoes and tomatoes so as to merit a trip to the capital will be received by President Wilson today.

Society

SURPRISE MRS. RUBERT

Mrs. G. Rubert, 1217 Johnson street, was surprised by a number of her friends Friday afternoon, the occasion being her eleventh wedding anniversary. Four tables of five hundred were played. The prizes were taken by Mrs. C. W. Spencer, Mrs. L. Weisbecker, Mrs. Robert Braun and Mrs. W. J. Torrance. A delicious supper was served at 5:30. Mrs. Rubert was presented with a handsome tablecloth.

LAWRENCE FURSTMAN CELEBRATES

Lawrence Furstman, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Furstman, celebrated his sixth birthday yesterday.

COFFEE

Mrs. C. N. Dunham entertained eighteen ladies at a coffee Saturday afternoon. Mrs. A. S. Dunham of Hokah was an out of town guest.

BIRTHDAY EVENT

Mrs. Millie Edwards entertained a party of friends and relatives at her home, 434 Rose street, in honor of her birthday. After the supper was served dancing was enjoyed. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Krueger, Mrs. G. Daysack, Mrs. Umberger, Mrs. Delhantz, Mrs. D. Miller, Mrs. Weise of Tomah, Mrs. A. Utke, Miss Ella McConner, Miss Dayton, Miss A. Wagner, Miss Liddie Utke, Miss Umberger, Miss J. Utke, Miss M. Miller, Miss W. Edwards, Miss Helen Miller, Mr. Walter Rice, P. Halverson, Tom Little, Fred Stirnemann, George Edwards, Archie Hoard, Will Edwards and Mrs. Millie Edwards.

SOCIAL BRIEFS

Mrs. Hebberd will leave tomorrow for Decatur, Ill., to visit friends.

Ladies if you are driving a car do not fail to see the Motor Gloves at Barron's.

Mrs. A. S. Dunham of Hokah is visiting at the home of her son, C. N. Dunham.

Notice of Application to County Court

State of Wisconsin, County Court, La Crosse County. ss.—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, in said County, on the 4th Tuesday, being the 23rd day of March, A. D., 1915, at ten o'clock A. M., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of William E. Bosshard to admit to probate the last will and testament of Emilie Bosshard, late of the Village of Bangor, in said County of La Crosse, deceased.

Dated February 27, 1915.

By order of the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY, County Judge.

TWO DYING AFTER BATTLE

PUEBLO, Col., March 1.—Two men are dying of bullet wounds today as a result of a battle in the Italian district, believed to have been the outgrowth of a 'black hand" war. Frank Bacino, 42, a local merchant, and Manisco Leo Lorendo, who came here recently from New York, are the men wounded.

Even the green grocer may turn red, if he has the habit of blushing.

"BIG CHIEF" BENDER TRAP-SHOOTING STAR



Chief Bender.

Chief Bender, the former mainstay of Connie Mack's crew of ball-tossers, and now with the Baltimore Federal league team, is a top-notch trap-shooter. The Chief's eagle eye seems to be improving with age, the clay pigeons falling prey to his mighty gun in ever larger numbers.

Bender is well satisfied with his berth with the Baltfeds and the expectations are that he will excel past performances. Baltimore fans are anxiously awaiting the opening of the season in order to get a good glimpse of the famous slab artists in action.

The Biggest Crowd

IN THE BIJOU'S HISTORY SAW

MARY PICKFORD

Play Her Masterpiece

"CINDERELLA"

Sunday matinee and evening. Don't miss this Paramount Pickford, showing again TONIGHT, TUESDAY MATINEE and EVENING. No advance in prices.

"IT'S A LONG, LONG WAY TO TIPPERARY"

Pathe three reels, coming WEDNESDAY.

Annual Clearing Sale

AT

J. S. Arenz & Co.

323 Pearl Street

La Crosse, Wis.

While a good many people have walked out of our store much happier than they walked in on account of getting a much better bargain than what they expected, there are still enough left for you to get a fit; so do not miss the opportunity to get a pair.

1,768 pair of Men's Shoes that range in price all the way from $2.00 to $3.00, sale price $1.50

892 pair $3.50 and $4.00 Shoes now $1.69

317 pair $4.50 and $5.00 Shoes now $1.98

1,000 pair Men's heavy Work Shoes, Outing Shoes, Elkskin Shoes, black and tan, $2.50 to $3.50, at $1.98

1,437 pair of Ladies' Patent and Gun Metal Shoes, button, worth from $2.00 to $3.50, sale price.. $1.89

A lot of Ladies' Suedes, Black and Tan, Button and Lace, regular price $4.00, sale price $1.89

A lot of Russian Tan Button Shoes, regular price $4.00, sale price $1.89

A lot of Misses' Gun Metal Button Shoes, worth $2 and $2.50, sale price $1.49

Another lot of Lace Shoes worth $2.00, now ... $1.19

A lot of Children's Shoes worth from $1.50 to $2.50, sale price $1.00

Boys' Shoes up to size 6 ..... $1.25

JUSTIN TIMLIN WATCHES SURGEONS FASHION NEW LIP FROM OWN FLESH

CHICAGO, March 1.—An operation termed unique in the history of the fight against cancer with the knife was performed on William H. Timlin, justice of the supreme court of Wisconsin. Dr. Arehur Dean Bevan removed a large cancerous growth from Justice Timlin's lips. Then, a small slice of fiflesh at a time, was cut from other parts of the jurist's face and fashioned into a new mouth. Throughopt the entire operation the jurist, who is 62 years old, was conscious and watched the cutting. Because of his age, only a local anaesthetic was administered. The operation is said to have been entirely successful.

OFFICER AND THIEF SHOT IN BATTLE

CHICAGO, March 1.—Policeman Joe Carroll was shot through the arm and one of three burglars captured early today in a street battle with robbers wno were caught in the store of Freman Brothers, in Lincoln avenue, early today. A squad of reserves and the robbers fought from behind trees and from doorways for thirty minutes.

WHARF BUILDING BURNS

BOSTON, Mass., March 1.—Fire which for a time defied the efforts of the city's whole fire-fighting force, today did $25,000 damage to the building occupied by the Indian Refining company, Central wharf.

I. H. C. SAYS IT WILL NEED RECEIVER IF DECISION STANDS

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Appointment of a receiver for the International Harvester company is inevitable, if the supreme court sustains the anti-trust decree ordering its dissolution, the company declared in its brief filed today with the supreme court, in the government's dissolution suit. The case will be argued April 5.

CHARLES WATKINS DIES

Charles Watkins, 41, Harmony, Minn., died at one o'clock Saturday morning at a local hospital. The body was taken to Harmony for interment.

Hardy Shrubs

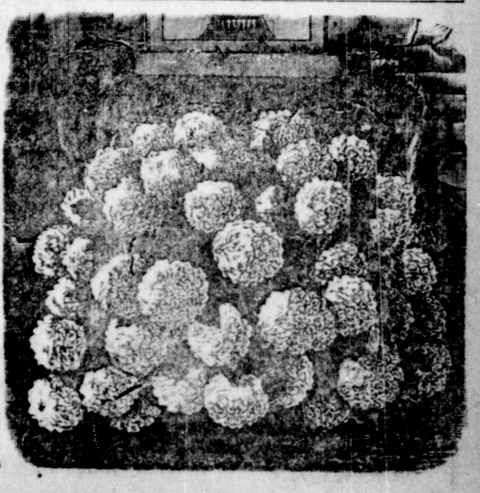
For Spring Planting

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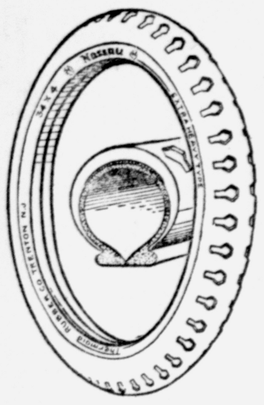
Catalog Free.

SALZER'S GREENHOUSES

Box 60. La Crosse.



NASSAU Tires



Are designed to as nearly eliminate tire troubles as the the finest quality of materials and the most modern equipment, combined with skill and years of experience, can possibly accomplish.

NASSAU TIRES, while selling at lower prices than last year, still maintain the high standard that has made them famous. The fact that England has removed the embargo on rubber is responsible for the decrease in price.

NASSAU TIRES carry a factory guarantee against defects on a mileage basis of 3,500 miles.

Car Owners Net Prices

Size	Smooth	Non-Skid	Gray	De Luxe
28x3	$ 7.75	$ 8.75	$2.00	$2.45
30x3	$ 8.25	$ 9.25	$2.10	$2.50
30x3½	$10.75	$12.00	$2.50	$2.95
32x3½	$12.25	$13.75	$2.60	$3.10
34x3½	$14.00	$15.50	$2.75	$3.30
32x4	$16.75	$19.00	$3.50	$4.15
33x4	$17.50	$19.75	$3.75	$4.30
34x4	$18.00	$20.25	$3.85	$4.40
36x4	$19.50	$21.50	$4.00	$4.65
36x4½	$26.00	$28.50	$4.75	$5.75

Fred Kroner Hardware Co.

Third Street, between Main and Pearl

FLEET'S ATTACK TUMBLES WHEAT

Progress of Attempt to Force Dardanelles Causes the Market to Sink Suddenly

CHICAGO, March 1.—The rapid progress of the bombardment of the Dardanelles by the allied fleets, and the announcement from Premier Asquith of Great Britain's declaration that all commodities hereafter are to be contraband of war, in the effort to starve Germany out, broke the wheat market today with a crash.

The drop in May wheat at one time was 7 1-2c per bushel below Saturday's closing price of $1.53 1-2. July wheat at one time during the day of wild scenes in the pit, fell as low as $1.17 1-2, a drop of 8 1-4 cents below last Saturday's close.

All other grains were off sharply.

JOSEPHINE NOWAK DIES

Mrs. Josephine Nowak, aged 69 years, died yesterday afternoon at three o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Martin Nowak, 1333 Ferry street. Infirmities of old age caused death.

Mrs. Nowak is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Martin Nowak of La Crosse, and Mrs. Gusta Andrews of Spokane, Wash., and three sons, Joseph of La Crosse, John of Spokane, and Charles of Galesville.

The funeral will be held at nine o'clock Wednesday from Holy Cross church, Rev. Fr. Fufel officiating. Burial will take place in the Catholic cemetery.

RUMELY COMPANY EXTENSION

NEW YORK, March 1.—The new Rumley committee expects to restore ten millions of notes falling due today to the original dates of the notes and thus conserve the interests of the note holders.

TONIGHT
LA CROSSE THEATRE
THE
Heyde Drama Players
Present Robt. Edeson's
"The Call of the Woods"
(4 act comedy drama of the Canadian north.)
3 Big Vaudeville Acts 3
PRICES:
Matinees: Tues., Thurs. Sat., Sun. All seats 10c.
Nights 10c and 20c. All seats reserved.
TUESDAY
Reception Matinee
10—Cents—10

THURSDAY, MARCH 6th
CHAUNCEY OLCOTT
IN
The Heart of Paddy Whack
An Irish Love-Story Sparkling with Humor
A HALF DOZEN NEW SONGS
Prices: 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50.
Seats tomorrow morning. Mail order now.

AGED RESIDENT IS CALLED

Mrs. Estra Anderson, 86, resident of La Crosse for sixteen years and of La Crosse county for more than thirty years, died at 2 o'clock this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. O. L. Nelson, 2112 Cass street. The infirmities of old age were the cause of death.

Surviving are two children, Mrs. Christina Nelson of La Crosse and Frank Anderson of Chicago.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Wednesday at the home and at 2:30 at St. Paul's Norwegian Lutheran church, West avenue and Division street. Burial will take place in Oak Grove cemetery.

CHUM SHOT BY ACCIDENT

MILWAUKEE, March 1.—John Bertling, 16, was accidentally shot and killed today by Joseph Zimmerman, a chum. Zimmerman stumbled while carrying a rifle across the room, discharging the weapon.

Dr. E. L. EATON
Lecturer on Astronomy
"A Stroll Along the Milky Way"
at the
First Baptist Church
Tuesday Evening, 8 P. M.
Fourth number on
Baptist Lecture Course
Don't miss this number.
Single Admission 25c.

THIRTY KILLED IN GUNBOAT BLAST

GALVESTON, Tex., March 1.—Thirty persons, including five women, were killed when the gunboat Progresso was blown up by a bomb in Progresso harbor, stated the Carranzista consul here today. The bomb was smuggled aboard in a shipment of ice.



The Man With the Black Vandyke

He's a sinister figure that drops like a shadow on the lives of Ned Warner and June.

Dark, polished, mysterious, his polite attentions seem a constant menace.

At every turning, he crosses the path of the beautiful runaway bride.

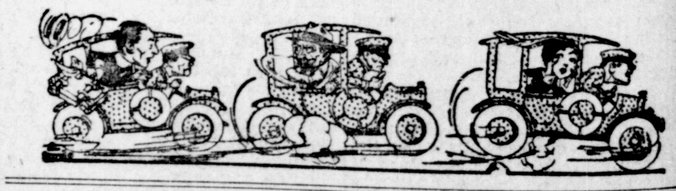
"Runaway June"
By George Randolph Chester and Lillian Chester

is a mystifying story, a fascinating story, a story of spell-bound thrill.

It is illustrated with moving pictures produced by the Reliance Motion Picture Corporation by special arrangement for this paper. No expense has been spared to make them magnificent; no effort has been stinted at any point.

Read the Story. *See the Pictures.*

"Runaway June" has never before been published. It was written for America's greatest newspapers; in this city it will appear exclusively in *The La Crosse Tribune*



"Whys" of European War Moves Explained By Military Expert

BY J. W. T. MASON

NEW YORK, March 1.—With increasing frequency, British and French statesmen are insisting on the perfect accord of the French-English-Russian alliance, and at the same time, are declaring the resolve of their own nations to see the war through single-handed, if necessary, to the very end. It is apparent that absolute certainty does not prevail in Paris and London concerning the future attitude of the Russians. Possibility exists that the Slavs may make a separate peace, thus releasing two million Austrians and Germans for the western battle front, and relieving also the Teutonic food point.

Russia's military humiliation is intense, not only because of von Hindenburg's repeated victories, but also because of the swagger with which the Slavs entered the war, and the grandiose annexation of German Poland by a premature imperial ukase. Not only is Germany firmly in possession of a large part of Russian Poland but also has Austria recovered much of Galicia and seems destined to regain more.

Financially, Russia is near to national bankruptcy. England is now largely paying for the Slavs' continuance in the war.

A strong peace party exists in Russia, whose activities are dominated by Germanic influences. Germans have long been economic and cultural leaders in Russia, and it is known that high personages in Petrograd are working to secure a dominant influence at court in the interest of Germany. Those peace advocates may well claim that the high tide of Russia's military success has been reached, and, in fact, is beginning to recede. Warsaw is seriously endangered; Lemberg may be retaken when the spring makes the Carpathians a less formidable barrier against artillery transport; and the situation in the Caucasus is not favorable for a serious offensive against the Turks.

MILWAUKEE BOOSTS BREAD

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 1.—Milwaukee is eating six cent bread for the first time. The wholesalers recently raised all flour products 20 per cent and retailers followed in their steps today.

BLIND SOLON VISITS HOUSE

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Thomas D. Schall, the blind congressman-elect from Minnesota, visited the house today to familiarize himself with the hall and proceedings in it.

GOPHER OPTION BILL LAW

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 1.—Governor Hammond this afternoon signed the Minnesota county option bill, which which will go into effect at once.

100 BARGAINS EACH $1.00

We have decided to make Dollar Day a notable event which people will remember, by offering some goods at **less than cost**, and we **guarantee** each article or combination of articles which we will offer for $1.00 will be from 15 to 40 cents **less than regular price.**

We will include in our bargains goods that will interest the **housewife**, the **farmer, mechanic,** or any other class.

The following is a partial list of the goods included in our bargains:

Bread and Kitchen Knives, Cleavers, Ice Cream Freezers, Sad Irons, Skirt Board, Clothes Racks, Pails, Mops, and Mop Wringers, Tinware, Granite Ware, Aluminum Ware, Razors, Razor Hones and Strops.

Squares, Rules, Planes, Wrenches, Bits, Pliers, Clamps.

Hitching Posts, Shoe Lasts and Stands, Lawn Sprinklers, Clippers.

Hay Rack Brackets, Hay and Manure Forks, Spades, Hoes, Rakes, Hay Knives, Axes, Wire Stretchers and Lanterns.

V. Tausche Hardware Co.

135-203 South Fourth Street

GERMANS AND FRENCH ADVANCING FOR DEATH GRAPPLE



Photos © Underwood & Underwood

German machine gun detachment creeping into action (top) and French infantry scouts moving toward German lines.

These pictures were taken on the battle line in northern France. It will be noticed that the soldiers are deliberate in their movements and do not expose themselves any more than is necessary.

ROADS RAISE RATES

CHICAGO, March 1.—By increasing the mileage rate from two to two and one-half cents per mile the western railways today will increase their annual income about fifteen million dollars.

YANKEE PHENOMS ASSEMBLE

NEW YORK, March 1.—The New York Yankee recruits were to assemble here today preparatory to leaving tomorrow for the training camp at Savannah, Ga.

CHATTANOOGA RESERVE CITY

WASHINGTON, March 1. — Chattanooga, Tenn., was named as a reserve city by the federal reserve board.

CANAL OPENING POSTPONED

WASHINGTON, March 1.—The formal opening of the Panama canal which was scheduled for this month has been postponed until July. The president will go probably to San Francisco this month.

ALLEGED FUGITIVE HELD

CLEVELAND, O., March 1.—Otto Bowers, alleged fugitive from justice, wanted in Sulphur Springs, Montana, on a charge of having broken jail while held on a grand larceny charge, was arrested here.

Sometimes Vary Conversation.

It is a mistake for men to imagine women are always talking about their dresses. Sometimes they are talking about their hats.

PETEY DINK—He Believes in Rushing the Season

By C. A. Voight



EVERYBODY, EVERYWHERE, USE **TRIBUNE WANT ADS** FOR EVERY PURPOSE UNDER THE SUN

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TELEPHONE YOUR AD. TO THE TRIBUNE office any time before noon, and it will be inserted the same day.

BOTH PHONES 323

HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Able-bodied men. Good eye-sight, for firemen and brakemen. Good wages. Experience unnecessary. Surely state age. Railway, care Tribune.

MEN TO LEARN BARBER TRADE —Dubuque Barber College, 13th St. 2 16 3 10

HELP WANTED—Female

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. A. C. Wolfe, 1519 Madison. 2 24 3 2

WANTED—Middle-aged lady as housekeeper. Good home to right party. Call or write, Theo. Sands, Sparta, Wis. 2 27 3 1

WANTED—Girls over sixteen years of age to work in our factory, good wages paid while you learn the work, with splendid opportunity for advancement to those who wish to do so. La Crosse Knitting Works. 2 27 3 5

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 821 South Fourth street. 2 27 3 2

WANTED—Girl for housework. No washing or ironing. 308 No. 7th St. 3 1 31

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Small family. Wages $5. 220 So. 11th. 3 1 3

WANTED—Girl for housework. No washing. Erickson's Bakery. 3 1 3

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Famous Greeley, Colorado District. Some fine irrigated improved farms, close to station. Best in the world for sugar beets, potatoes, alfalfa and small grain. Special offer for two quarters. $100 per acre. Abundant water. W. T. Graham, Bee Building, Omaha, Neb. 3 1 1

PIANO BARGAIN—I have a fine $500.00 Grand in upright case. Only used four months. Will sell for less than half price if sold this week. I am going to leave city and must sell. Address 810 Ferry St. New Phone 603-R. 3 1 tf

FOR SALE—Small house and lot, good barn, half block from car line. A snap. Part down, balance on easy payments. A. A. Johnson, Mgr. City Grocery. 2 24 3 2

FOR SALE—One Universal joint, one whistle and two propeller wheels, and one auto steering gear. Ind. Service Co., 316 South Third. 2 26 3 2

FOR SALE—Large well arranged modern home, good location, with best car service. See owner, 1105 Caledonia. 1 26 tf

CINDERS—50c per load. Delivered to any part of south side. Wisconsin-Minnesota Light and Power Co. Phone 112. 10 23 tf

FOR SALE—Collapsible go-cart and a reed oriole cart. Inquire 520 South Third, upstairs. Old phone 6351. 2 26 3 1

FOR SALE—Cottage of five rooms at a bargain; one double house, five rooms each side, good renting property. New phone 802-C. 2 26 3 1

FOR SALE—Five passenger car, good condition, almost new tires, 35 h. p., price $375. Address Imperial, care Tribune. 2 26 3 4

FOR SALE—Horse, buggy and cutter. Horse can be driven by a lady. Call new phone 859-A. 2 26 3 31

FOR SALE—Fawn and white runner ducks, also chickens. Most any kind you want. Inquire 2101 King. 3 1 3

FOR SALE—Pure bred Barred Plymouth Rock Cockerels. Large as turkeys. Who wants them? Van Loon, La Crosse, Wis. Old Phone 2054. 3 1 tf

FOR SALE—Team black mares, age 5 years, average 1,500 pounds. One bay mare, age 4, weight 1,600 pounds. Wylie Parish, De Soto, Wis. 2 27 3 8

FOR SALE—Show cases, counters and shelving. Inquire Schulze's Baking Co. 869 New Phone. 3 1 tf

FOR SALE—Buggy, good harness, incubator, lawn mower. 2111 Farnam. 3 1 6

FOR SALE—New six room house, all modern. 1727 Madison street. Call new phone 1733-M. 2 24 3 9

FOR SALE—Lot Seventeenth and Badger. Inquire 526 Oakland. 2 23 tf

FOR SALE—A bargain, bass and snare drum, also clarinet, fine condtion. Phone 1218-M. 2 23 3 8

FOR SALE—Five year old 1,300 farmer mare. 2620 Mormon Coulee Road. 2 16 3 1

FOR SALE—One hard coal heater, one soft coal heater and one roll top desk. 509 Main. 2 3 tf

FOR SALE—Pair of birch sliding doors, with runners. New Phone 1137-C. 6 23 tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A mare in foal, at Reliable Steam Laundry. 1 27 tf

FOR SALE—Corner lot on 21st and Vine. Inquire 514 South Ninth. Phone 1327-M. 2 18 28

FOR SALE—Modern house, east of Twelfth, south of Main. Address O. P., care Tribune. 2 27 3 6

FOR SALE—Two horses. 1430 Jackson street. 2 25 3 10

FOR SALE—A new five room cottage on 14th and Johnson street. Apply 1314 Johnson street. 2 27 3 5

FOR SALE—One heavy horse. 1317 South Fourth. 2 p4 3 2

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—320 acres near New Salem, N. D. There is no better soil to be found than this piece, all tillable. Address New Salem Land, care Tribune. 2 27 tf

FOR SALE—One house, $12 per month. A. Lee, Fourth and Pearl. 2 27 3 30

FOR SALE—7 passenger Studebaker, 5 passenger Rambler, Rambler roadster. All bargains. General Motor Car Co., 207 State, or Fox Bros. 2 27 3 2

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Safe. 729 Division street. 2 26 3 2

FOR SALE—Kitchen range. 1317 Ferry. 2 26 3 3

FOR SALE—Barn, 16x24. To be moved. 1206 So. 12th. 3 1 6

FOR SALE—Oak Library Table. 812 King St. 3 1 tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Upper four rooms in a two story house, for family of two. Inquire of J. W. Giefer, Hebberd Drug Store. 3 1 2

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms with city heat. Call mornings or evenings, 644-A new phone. 234 So. Seventh. 2 25 3 1

FOR RENT—Store, size 23x77, equipped with shelving. Address Mrs. E. Netz, Prairie du Chien, Wis. 2 25 tf

FOR RENT—Modern house. 349 So. Twentieth. 2 27 3 3

FOR RENT—Furnished room with or without board. 946 Division. 2 26 3 1

FOR RENT—Three furnished light housekeeping rooms. 714 Cass. 2 25 tf

FOUR UNFURNISHED ROOMS — gas, city water. 923 Grove. 1 13 tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room, modern. 712 Cass. 2 16 tf

FOR RENT—Nice large office room over 307 Main street. City heat. Call 194-C new phone. 2 22 3 4

FOR RENT—Modern seven room house. New phone 1708-M. 2 27 3 2

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms on first floor, 726 Ferry. 2 27 3 5

FOR RENT—Large furnished rooms at 629 South Third St. 3 1 3

FOR RENT—Room. Modern, 522 State. 3 1 5

MISCELLANEOUS

INVESTMENT—A good permanent proposition right in La Crosse for two hundred to invest fifty dollars each. If interested and want fifty dollars to work for you, address Post Office Box 772, City. 2 22 3 4

BOOKS BOUGHT FOR CASH—On the following subjects: Biography, history, town or county or America, travels. Books on Mormons, Indians, wars, science of every kind. Address Books, care of Tribune. 2 23 3 1

WANTED—By high school student, work for Saturdays or evenings after school. Call new phone 485-M. 2 25 3 1

WANTED—Draying, hauling ashes and wood sawing. 1227 Denton. Call new phone 1461-M. 2 27 3 5

WANTED—By young couple, three or four modern unfurnished rooms. New phone 1599-M. 2 22 tf

WANTED—Washing to take home. New Phone 1543-C. 3 1 3

LOST

LOST—Near Burns, small foxterrier dog, black and white with brown face, bob tail, answers to name Spite. Finder write or phone Jack Lommes, Bangor, Wis., and get $5 reward. 2 25 3 10

LOST—Small rat terrier. Return to 914 Pine. Reward. 2 27 3 2

LOST—Small brown dog with short hair. Return to 1241 Green Bay. Call new phone 1625-C. Reward. 2 27 3 1

LOST—Gold cuff link with initials R. M. A. Return to Tribune. Reward. 2 8 tf

LOST—Fox terrier pup, white with black spots, bob tail, red collar. Old phone 4491. 429 King. Reward. 2 27 3 2

LOST—Black buggy robe. Reward if returned to Tribune. 3 1 6

Dyers and Cleaners

HAVE YOUR RUGS and carpets cleaned at Pitzner's, Dyers and Cleaners, 201 State St. Both phones. 2 12 3 11

FINANCIAL

FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION paid and installment stock for sale. 9 12 tf

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and diamonds. La Crosse Loan Co., 320 Main street, upstairs. 9 9 tf

Shoe Repairing

JENSEN, 311 Main. When down at the heel, don't throw away your overshoes or arctics, but let us mend them, while you wait. New phone 352-M. 2 6 may 8

FUNERAL DIRECTORS

MILLER BROS., undertakers and embalmers. 320 Main. Phones 286. Open day and night.

Engineering

W. S. WOODS, Engineer, Batavian Bank building. Water supply, sewage, pavements, water power, reports, surveys, plans, specifications. 2 20 5 21

Cut Rate Shipping

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points, superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Typewriter Ribbons

NEW TYPEWRITER RIBBONS, 35c. Half dozen $1.75, while lot bought at bargain lasts. Regular 75c quality. W. V. Kidder, 114 North Fifth. Phone 56. 12 7 tf

Poultry Dept.



OLD TRUSTY INCUBATOR, 100 egg, as good as new, $7.50 buys it, at Poehling's Store. 2 26 tf

FILIBUSTER STOPS HOUSE APPROVAL

WASHINGTON, March 1.—A republican coup today blocked action on the ship purchase bill.

With the ways greased for hasty approval of the conference report in the house, an unexpected republican filibuster threw the democrats into confusion and forced postponement of consideration, probably until tomorrow.

The Doctor's Friend.

Appendicitis probably has helped the doctors more than any other recent discovery.—Atchison Globe.

Daily Markets

Wholesale Fruit
(Quoted by John C. Burns.)

Oysters, best standards, gal	$1.10
Oysters, best selects, gal.	$1.4
Oysters, best selects, gal.	$1.40
Celery, Michigan	15c, 20c, 30c
Cider, steam refined, bbl.	$.650
Cider, pure juice, bbl.	$6.00
Cider, crab apple, half bbl.	$5.50
Cider, steam refined, half bbl.	$3.50
Cider, pure juice, half bbl.	$3.25
Cranberries, Jerseys, Golden Reds, Dark Red, bbl.	$5.00
Lemons, silver, "Sunkist" box.	$4.00
Lemons, Red ball, per box	$3.50
Oranges, Fancy Navels	$2.75
Oranges, Ex. Choice	$2.50
Oranges, choice	$2.25
Bananas, bunch	$2.00
Grapes, green, keg	$5.00
Apples, 5 boxes, asst'd, box	$1.25
Apples, barrels, N. Y. Baldwins barrel	$3.00
Apples, Ben Davis, bbl.	$3.00
Onions, red or yellow, hd.	$1.75
Potatoes, per bushel	60c
Grape Fruit, size 36	$2.25
Grape Fruit, size 46	$2.50
Grape Fruit, size 54	$2.75
Grape Fruit, size 64	$2.75

Livestock
(By Farmers' Co-operative Packing Company.)

Hogs	$5.80 to $6.25
Cows	$3.00 to $5.00
Steers	$4.00 to $6.50
Heifers	$3.50 to $5.50
Sheep	$3.00 to $3.50
Spring Lambs	$5.50 to $6.25

Poultry

Chickens	10½ to 11c
Turkeys	12 to 14c
Ducks	11c
Geese	10c

Provisions

Lard, per pound	11 to 11½c
Shoulders, per pound	11½c
Picnics, per pound	11½c
Bacon, per pound	16 to 22c
Hams, per pound	24 to 15c
Dried beef, per pound	22 to 26c

Flour and Feed
(Quoted by Listman Mill Co.)

Patent, per barrel	$7.70
Straight, per barrel	$7.50

Grain
(Quoted by C. A. Thomas)

Corn	75 to 85c
Oats	55 to 60c
Wheat	$1.20 to $1.30
Rye	95c to $1.00
Barley	70 to 80c

Mill Feed

Bran, per ton, 100 lb sacks	$27.00
Shorts, per ton, 100 lb sacks	$28.00
White Middlings, per ton, 100 lb. sacks	$30.00
Red Dog, ton, 100 lb. sacks	$34.00

Butter and Eggs
(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)

Creamery butter, pound	30 to 31c
Dairy butter, pound	26 to 28c
Eggs, fresh, dozen	20c

Cheese
(Quoted by Hy. Anderegg)

Fancy full cream twins	15 to 16c
Fancy full cream daisies	15 to 16c
Fancy full cream limburger	14 to 17c
Fancy full cream Swiss block	17c
Fancy full cream brick	13 to 15c
German hand cheese, per box	90c
Norwegian Primost	7 to 8c

PASTOR IN ST. LOUIS

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 1.—Rev. Karl Reiland of New York, pastor of St. George's Episcopal church, at which the late J. P. Morgan was a communicant, and the minister who gained fame after his "discovery" by Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, when Roosevelt was president, today began a five-day engagement here, at the noonday Lenten service in a local theater.

RIVER RISES AT QUINCY

QUINCY, Ill., March 1.—Farmers in the Mississippi river lowlands around Quincy are moving inside the levees, whiles the river is slowly rising, flooding the bottoms. A stage of 14.4 feet was reached before noon. Thirteen feet is the danger line and 19 feet the levee height.

MEET TO PLAN MERGER

PATERSON, N. J., March 1.—Stockholders of the United Shoe Machinery corporation and the United States Shoe Machinery company were to meet here today to take action on a proposed merger of the two concerns.

Asphalt in Philippines.

Hard asphalt, known as uintahite or gilsonite, has been discovered in the Philippines on the island of Leyte.

Foreign Markets

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, March 1.—The volume of business at the opening of ehe stock market today was light. Some stocks showed fractional gains. United States Steel and Reading opened 1-8 in advance.

11 a. m.—Prices reacted a little toward the close of the first hour, and trading became dull.

Noon—Little change in price or activity was noted in stocks during the second hour. Trading was almost at a complete standstill at noon.

2 p. m.—During the early afternoon the market was at a standstill. The stock market closed dull.

New York Money

NEW YORK, March 1.—Money on call, 2 per cent; time money, 3¼ per cent for six months; prime mercantile, 3½ to 4 per cent.

Bar silver: London, 23¼d; New York, 49¼c.

Demand sterling, 4.79¾.

Kansas City Livestock

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 1.—Cattle — Receipts 11,000; market steady to 10c lower; steers, $6.00 to $6.80; cows and neifers, $4.25 to $8.25; stockers and feeders, $6.00 to $7.80; calves, $6.50 to $10.75.

Hogs—Receipts 8,00; market 5 to 10c higher; bulk, $6.60 to $6.70; heavy, $6.60 to $6.70; medium, $6.60 to $6.75; light, $6.60 to $6.75.

Sheep — Receipts 11,000; market steady, 10c higher; lambs, $8.50 to $9.30; ewes, $6.25 to $7.00; stockers and feeders, $4.75 to $8.25.

Chicago Livestock

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., March 1.—Hogs—Receipts 42,000; market strong, 5 to 10c higher; mixed and butchers, $6.45 to $6.80; good heavy, $6.60 to $6.75; rough heavy, $5.25 to $6.35; light, $6.55 to $6.82 1-2; pigs, $5.75 to $6.90.

Cattle — Receipts 17,000; market steady to 10c lower; beeves, $5.50 to $9.00; cows and heifers, $3.50 to $7.70; Texans, $5.50 to $6.60; calves, $6.75 to $10.25.

Sheep — Receipts 13,000; market strong to 10c higher; native, $6.90 to $7.85; western, $7.00 to $7.85; western, $7.00 to $7.85; lambs, $7.90 to $7.85; lambs, $7.90 to $9.70; western, $8.00 to $9.75.

Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, March 1.—Butter—Extras, 29c; firsts, 26 to 27c; dairy extras, 27c; firsts, 24 to 25c.

Eggs—Prime firsts, 21c; ordinary, 20c.

Cheese—Twins, 15 3-4 to 16c; Young Americas, 16c.

Potatoes—Receipts 26 cars; Wisconsin white, 35 to 42c; red stock, 35 to 40c.

Live Poultry—Fowls, 14c; ducks, 12 to 16c; geese, 8 to 10c; spring chicks, 15½c; turkeys, 13c.

Chicago Cash Grain

CHICAGO, March 1.—Wheat—No. 2 red, 148 to 151; No. 3 red, 145½ to 150½; No. 2 hard, 147 to 152; No. 3 hardl, 146½ to 151.

Oats—No. 3 white, 54½ to 55¾c; Na. 4 white, 54 to 55½c; standard, 54¾ to 56½c.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, 72 to 73c; No. 3 yallow, 69 to 70½c; No. 4 yellow, 68½ to 69½c; No. 5 yellow, 66½ to 68c; No. 3 white, 70½ to 71c; No. 4 white, 69½ to 70c; No. 3 mixed, 68 to 70; No. 4 mixed, 68 to 69¼c; No. 5 mixed, 66 to 67½c.

Barley—70 to 80c.

Timothy—$5 to $6.50.

Chicago Grain Review

CHICAGO, March 1.—The terrible effectiveness of Anglo-French naval gunners, coupled with martial inefficiency of the Turks defending the Dardanelles fortifications, heretofore considered virtually invulnerable, caused another sensational break in wheat today. Following partial recovery on the theory that the allied fleet could not hope to batter their way through the Bosphorus for months at the earliest, news of the destruction of one of the greatest forts today sent wheat down to 151 for May and 122 for July at the opening. These were losses since Saturday's close of from 2 1-2 to 3-4. At one time May wheat was down to 1.48 and July to 1.19 1-4.

Corn felt the drop in wheat. Prices were down 1-4c to 5-8c at the opening. Later corn touch 72 3-8 for May and 74 1-2 for July, which represented recessions of from 1 3-8 to 1 cent on the opening.

Oats shared in the general price decline, there being little demand.

Despite scant receipts, provisions were slightly lower at today's opening and fell lower as the day advanced.

There were further breaks toward the close. At one time, May wheat touched 146 and July 117½. The formal announcement by Premier Asquith that the allies have decided upon a blockade of Germany, and would consider all commodities contraband, was the cause. Wheat closed at $1.47¾ for May and $1.18⅛ for July.

Corn continued to be affected by the wheat break.

Oats also continued weak to the end. Prices at the close were about two cents below the opening.

There was little activity in provisions, and they were lower at the close.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—				
May	151	151	146	147¾
July	122	121	117½	118⅛
CORN—				
May	73¾	73¾	71⅝	71½
July	75½	75⅝	73⅜	73½
OATS—				
May	56⅞	56⅞	54⅝	54⅞
July	53½	53½	51⅜	51⅝
PORK—				
May	17.30	17.35	17.10	17.12
July	17.70	17.72	17.45	17.50
LARD—				
May	10.25	10.27	10.17	10.17
July	10.50	10.50	10.40	10.40
RIBS—				
May	9.87	9.87	9.75	9.75
July	10.17	10.17	10.05	10.05

Hustling Young Man Wanted

A large manufacturing concern, engaged in ambitious plans for further increasing its annual sales that now run well into big figures, proud of its good will and remarkable business record, offers a rare opportunity to a HUSTLING YOUNG MAN whose ability and efforts must be worth $50 per week to begin on, to represent their line of goods in the La Crosse territory, a line that sells in 95 per cent of the retail stores.

Requirements—Good health, vigor, push. A good reputation. The ability to sell goods as well as handle other salesmen. A small capital necessary to carry initial stock, which will amount to less than $300 which investment will not be necessary after the first 30 to 60 days.

Unless you are ambitious to make money for yourself and are willing to put push and energy into your work so that you prove yourself worthy of representing our name in this territory, do not reply.

MR. E. H. KUHR, representing the company, will be in La Crosse at the Stoddard Hotel on Tuesday, March 2nd only, where he will personally interview all applicants.

CANDIDATES FOR MAYOR OF CHICAGO



William Hale Thompson (top) and Robert Sweitzer.

William Hale Thompson and Robert M. Sweitzer were nominated respectively by the republicans and democrats for mayor of Chicago in the recent primaries. Thompson was one of the main cogs in the old Lorimer machine, while Sweitzer is a close political associate of Roger Sullivan, unsuccessful candidate for United States senator in Illinois last fall and leader of an important faction of the democratic party in the Windy city.

Comparative Markets

These Quotations Show the General Trend of Prices for the Previous Week

LIVESTOCK SATURDAY

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., Feb. 27.—Hogs — Receipts 19,000; market weak to 5c lower; mixed and butchers, $6.35 to $6.67 1-2; good heavy, $6.50 to $6.65; rough heavy, $6.10 to $6.25; light, $6.45 to $6.70; pigs, $5.75 to $6.75.

Cattle — Receipts 200; market steady; beeves, $5.50 to $9.00; cows and heifers, $3.60 to $7.75; Texans, $5.50 to $6.65; calves, $7.00 to $10.50.

Sheep — Receipts 1,000; market steady; native, $6.75 to $7.50; western, $6.90 to $7.65; lambs, $7.85 to $9.40; western, $8.00 to $9.40.

LIVESTOCK WEEK AGO

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., Feb. 20.—Market light, strong, others weak; mixed and butchers, $6.30 to $6.50; good heavy, $6.40 to $6.50; rough heavy, $6.10 to $6.25; light, $6.25 to $6.60; pigs, $5.25 to $6.50.

Cattle — Receipts 200; market steady; beeves, $5.25 to $8.50; cows and heifers, $3.40 to $7.50; Texans, $5.00 to $6.40; calves, $7.00 to $10.50.

Sheep — Receipts 1,000; market steady; native, $6.40 to $7.15; western, $6.60 to $7.25; lambs, $7.25 to $8.60; western, $7.50 to $8.70.

Grain

	Saturday.	Week Ago.
WHEAT—		
May	153½	160½
July	124¾	131¾
CORN—		
May	74	76⅜
July	76⅛	78
OATS—		
May	57¼	58¼
July	54¼	54¼

CITY HAS SELF DENIAL DAY

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 1.—Society women and shop girls, business men and laborers—every resident of St. Paul in fact—were asked to deny themselves something today, and to give the money thus saved, to the Belgian relief fund, of which Mrs. C. W. Ames is local head. Men were asked not to smoke or drink today, and if a friend offered a treat, the faithful man was supposed to ask that friend to give the money to the Belgian relief fund.

Bad habits grow like weeds, but good ones require careful nursing.

Your Credit is Good

Our Specials for Dollar Day

Your Credit is Good

14 inch Center Table, worth $1.50 ....$1.00

16 inch Center Table, worth $1.75 ....$1.00

26 inch Metal Stool, worth $1.75 ....$1.00

No. 22 Golden Oak or Mahogany Taborett, worth $2.00 ....$1.00

No. 86 Fumed Oak and Early English Pedestals, worth 75c each, 2 for $1.00

Dining Chairs, worth $1.25, $1.50, $1.75 and $2.00, your choice each $1.00

Mirrors, American plate, size 14x24, worth $1.50, special for $1.00

Phono-cut Phonograph Records, double-faced, worth 65c each, 2 for $1.00

88-note Player Piano Rolls, worth $1.50, $1.75 and $2.00, your choice each $1.00

Hassocks, genuine leather, black or brown, worth $2.00, special $1.00

Rag Rugs, worth $1.25 and $1.50, 100 pattern to select from, your choice at ...$1.00

Velvet Rugs, many handsome patterns, worth $1.50 and $2.00, your choice ...$1.00

Lace Curtains, any $1.25, $1.50, $1.75 or $2.00 pattern, large variety to select from, your choice $1.00

Framed Pictures, your choice of any $1.50 or $2.00 picture for $1.00

Six 25c Pictures for $1.00

Three 50c Pictures for $1.00

Two 75c Pictures for $1.00

Feather Pillows, your choice of any $1.50, $1.75 or $2.00 pillow for $1.00

Sidewalk Sulky, strong and well built; $1.50 value, for only $1.00

Brass Jardiniers, a large assortment to select from, $1.50 values, for $1.00

Hat Racks, values up to $2.00, special for Dollar Day $1.00

These are only a few items selected at random. We have hundreds of other articles marked down for Dollar Day.

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We will place in your home any $50.00 lot of FURNITURE you may select for $1.00 Down and $1.00 A Week. IF YOU PURCHASE IT ON DOLLAR DAY.

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GERMANS DESPISE ENGLISH MOST OF ALL THEIR ENEMIES

BELGIANS FROM PRISON DECLARE CONDITIONS FAIR

Assert They Were Not Badly Treated by German Captors Under Circumstances

BY WILLIAM PHILIP SIMMS
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

WITH THE BELGIAN ARMY IN FLANDERS, Feb. 9.—(By Mail to New York.)—The Belgian army surgeons that sat opposite in the compartment of the train which carried us as far as Calais, on the way to Dunkirk, had been prisoners of war in Germany since October. Now they were on their way to Calais, where they had been ordered to report after their exchange had been effected.

Of the two officers, one ranked as captain, as the two golden and one silver stars on his collar testified. Two golden stars on the collar of the other's overcoat showed him to be a lieutenant. Leaving out side conversation, the captain's story, as brought out by questions put to him directly, was this:

"I was taken prisoner near Antwerp. For a few days I was detained in Dobeln, in Saxony, together with a dozen other officers, some French, some English and some Belgian. We slept in two small rooms in a barracks, rooms which, in times of peace, serve as common soldiers' quarters. Our bedding was sacks filled with hay. I cannot say however, that while at Dobeln, we were badly treated considering the circumstances. This is war, and prisoners must not expect too much.

"Soon, however, we were transferred to Ebersdorf. We found a number of officers were already prisoners there along with 4,000 French, Russians, Belgians and English—if one English prisoner in all this number may be allowed to represent England. Of the Belgians, some 200 were civilians. Why they were there, no one seemed to know. It was a very unhappy lot.

"The officers slept, as at Dobeln, in small rooms of a barracks. Several had to occupy the same room. The ordinary soldiers and other prisoners slept mostly in stables, in straw which had not been changed since the beginning of the war. It was alive with vermin, and reduced to powder by constant tramping. Each of us was allowed a single blanket and we were often cold. Of course, none of us had more than a change of clothes; the majority not even that; yet I do not know of a single case where anybody was provided with clothes by the German authorities. Most of us went without underwear and shirts while we washed and dried what we had.

"Theoretically, both the barracks and stables were heated. A heating plant had been installed, but the actual heating had been let by contract to a civilian, and he economized on coal most shamelessly."

Much Sickness

"Was there much sickness?" I asked him.

"A great deal," the captain answered. "There was little or no typhoid, for the sanitary precautions against such epidemics as this were perfect. There were many victims of pneumonia and erysipelas, scores of soldiers contracting erysipelas by lying in the filthy hay.

"Officers were given special treatment. They were allowed to eat at the canteens, if they had the money, thus sparing themselves the very bad, though plentiful food furnished the other prisoners. These were given coffee in the morning, soup with vegetables in it, at noon, and soup and cheese, herring or something like that at night. Meat was allowed three times a week. Officers were mixed as far as possible. For instance, a Russian, Belgian and Frenchman would share the same room, none speaking the language of the other. We were searched for various causes now and then."

"Do the Germans make any distinction between the various allies?"

"Assuredly they do. They despise the English worse than they do the Turcos. They say the Belgians are treacherous and free shooters; the Russians are cruel; the Turcos are the same, but know no better; the French are all right but are the tools of another nation, while the English are a dastardly, despicable race, deserving of no consideration. They delight in making an English colonel salute a German corporal of the guards, though, for that matter, all the officer prisoners were required to salute non-commissioned German officers."

"What if they refused?"

"They would be punished by being put in cells with common German soldiers serving time for various misdemeanors. You can imagine what would happen. The poor officer would be made to suffer every conceivable humiliation."

Are Women Better Dressed than Men ?

They appear to be, as a rule. Do you know why?

It is said that American women are the best dressed in the world. Why? One reason is that the American woman is scrupulously neat about her clothes—a good example for the men to follow.

No matter where you buy your suits or what you pay, it is necessary to your good appearance to have them regularly cleaned and pressed. Then when you go out with your family you won't feel that you have "a neglected appearance."

There's satisfaction and economy in keeping your clothing in good repair. Send your work to us—get best work at reasonable prices.

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EACH WANTS TO BE "ASSISTANT MAYOR"



Mrs. William Hale Thompson (top) and Mrs. Robert M. Sweitzer.

These women are the wives of the two candidates for mayor of Chicago. Owing to the fact that Illinois has equal suffrage, Mrs. Thompson and Mrs. Sweitzer are playing an important part in the campaign.

SPOTLIGHTS

HEYDE PLAYERS

Just as promised, "The Call of the Woods" proved to be one of the best offerings in the amusement line that has been seen in La Crosse for a long time. The play caught the fancy and attention of the two big audiences yesterday, and pleased them to the utmost. "The Call of the Woods" is a somewhat different sort of a play—one with a punch—its simplicity is charming and the story interesting. The characters are all true to life, and with the home surroundings, the pretty love story with a heart interest that catches one at the very beginning makes the play a most enjoyable bit of excellent amusement.

"The Call of the Woods" will be the offering tonight, tomorrow matinee and night and Wednesday.

On Tuesday afternoon the Heyde Drama Players will give a "Social Matinee" and a reception will be held after the performance—an informal affair with a plentiful supply of pink tea imported for the occasion and other imported dainties to eat. The Heyde Drama Players would like to meet every one of their admirers personally.

MORATORIUM ENDS

STOCKHOLM, March 1. — The moratorium for foreign debts which has been on since the war began will be raised today.

NEURALGIC PAINS

These may be felt in any nerve of the body but are most frequent in the nerves of the head. Neuralgia may be caused by a decayed tooth, eye-strain or a diseased ear but the most common cause is general debility accompanied by anemia, or thin blood.

For this reason women who work too hard or dance too much and who do not get sufficient rest, sleep and fresh air, are the most frequent sufferers from neuralgia and sciatica, which is neuralgia of the sciatic nerve.

Nutrition for the nerves is the correct treatment for neuralgia and the only way to nourish the nerves is through the blood. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills supply to the blood just the elements it needs to increase its capacity to carry nourishment to starved nerves. They have proved helpful in so many cases of neuralgia and sciatica that any sufferer from these troubles is fully justified in giving these pills a trial. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills contain no harmful or habit-forming drugs and may be taken for any length of time with perfect safety.

The pamphlet "Diseases of the Nervous System," is free to you if you mention this paper. Address: The Dr. Williams Medicine Co. Schenectady, N. Y. Your own druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

LA FOLLETTE BILL FOR SAFETY AT SEA IS PASSED

Senate and House Have Adopted Measure Which Now Goes to the President

WASHINGTON, March 1. — The La Follette seamen's bill, providing for a higher standard of safety at sea and better working conditions for the sailors, was passed by the senate Saturday afternoon without a roll call. The bill has already been adopted by the house, and now needs only the president's signature to make it a law.

MONROE COUNTY SETTLER DIES

SPARTA, Wis., March 1.—(Special.)—Funeral services for Martin Johnson, aged 65, were held at two o'clock yesterday afternoon from the home on Water street, Rev. Harding R. Hogan officiating. Mr. Johnson came to this part of the country when a boy, settling in Wilton. A short time afterwards he came to Sparta where he has resided continuously. No immediate relatives survive.

Company L Inspected

Gustades' orchestra will render music for the inspection of Company L at the armory tomorrow night. Visitors are invited. The militia has been drilling every night for several weeks. A military ball will take place after the inspection.

Celebrates Birthday

Donald McDonald entertained a number of friends yesterday in honor of his thirteenth birthday.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar King, Tomah, were in the city yesterday to attend the funeral of Martin Johnson.

Rev. Eaton, Madison, spoke at both services at the Methodist church yesterday. He will speak at the meeting at the church tonight.

Miss Irene Badeker of Norwalk visit with friends in Sparta Saturday.

Hugh Fanning, who is attending Ripon college is spending a short vacation with his Sparta friends and relatives.

Paul Lillie made a business trip to La Crosse yesterday.

Miss Ruth Enckhausen, Bertha Jones, Francis Sarles and Dorothy Beebe, who are attending the La Crosse normal, spent Sunday at their respective homes.

Archie McCroy was a business caller at Wonewoc Saturday.

John Heitman who is attending the law school at Valparaiso, is home for a few days.

Mary Griffith spent Sunday at her home near Angelo.

Miss Mabel Baker of Tomah, returned to her home last night after a few days' visit with Miss Wyllis Swarthout.

Miss Florence Lewis and Mamie Graf spent Sunday at their homes.

C. J. Robb, who has been spending a few days at the home of Miss Dorothea Kyle, has returned to his home in Milwaukee.

STORE BANK STOPS

NEW YORK, March 1.—The last of the 57,000 accounts in the department store bank of J. B. Greenhut & Co., were closed out today. The announcement was made that the house is essentially a merchandizing concern and not in the banking business.

TRAINS IN FRESNO

FRESNO, Cal., March 1.—The Portland, Ore., team reported here for practice today with twenty-six men. They will play a series with the Chicago Colored Giants, and with the White Sox.

THE DANGER OF IT

A Warning Which May Save Your Life or That of Your Children

Be careful what you take for a cold. Many so-called "cold cures," "cough balsams," etc., contain opium, morphine or other poisonous drugs. Remember that Father John's Medicine is absolutely free from dangerous drugs, and has had more than fifty years' success for colds and throat and lung troubles.

Father John's Medicine Best for Colds and Throat and Lungs. — Builds you up.



Because it is free from alcohol or dangerous drugs, Father John's Medicine is safe for all the family to take for colds and throat and lungs. It is a pure and wholesome food medicine with more than fifty years of success. Guaranteed.

BARABOO LICKS TOMAH BASKETERS SATURDAY NIGHT

TOMAH, Wis., March 1.—(Special.)—Tomah was defeated by Baraboo at Baraboo Saturday night in one of the most exciting contests of the season. The game was called at 8:15 o'clock and Tomah started scoring early, Griswold caging the first field goal for them in about a minutes of play.

Yeager then dropped in a free throw which made the count three to 0 in favor of Tomah. Layden then scored two points for Baraboo and then excitement ran high. Tomah then scored again and kept the lead throughout the first half making the count 16 to 10 in their favor.

At the beginning of the second half both teams came back full of confidence and played hard and fast ball.

Tomah played all around Baraboo in teamwork but with the aid of the crowd and the referee who called 19 fouls on Tomah, Baraboo was enabled to obtain the lead in the last two minutes of play. DeNomie, Yeager and Earle played a good and hard game, DeNomie getting three field goals and Yaeger getting one field goal and eight free throws while Earle played a strong defensive game.

An elimination game will be staged at Sparta in the near future, and Tomah will seek their revenge on Sparta soil.

Tomah vs. Kenosha

The debating team of the Tomah high school will debate Kenosha on March 12.

TRANS-COUNTRY PHONE OPEN

NEW YORK, March 1—The transcontinental telephone service was opened for public use today. It will cost a person $20.70 to talk for three minutes from New York to San Francisco and $6.75 for each additional minute.

PURE BLOOD MAKES HEALTHY PEOPLE

Hood's Sarsaparilla removes scrofula sores, boils and other eruptions, because it drives out of the blood the humors that cause them. Eruptions cannot be successfully treated with external applications, because these cannot purify the blood.

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Chauncey Olcott in His New Play, "The Heart of Paddy Whack," at La Crosse Theater Thursday, March 4

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EVEN EVENSON'S BODY FOUND BURNED TO CRISP CINDER IN BARRE FARMHOUSE CELLAR

BARRE MILLS MAN KILLED BY FLAMES WHEN HOME BURNS

Neighbors Called by Telephone Rush to Assistance of Man Who Loses His Life

MYSTERY REMAINS UNSOLVED

Whether Eccentric Agriculturist Designed His End or Died Accidentally Puzzles Authorities

Even Evenson, eccentric farmer of the town of Greenfield, twice an inmate of the state hospital for the insane at Mendota, the man who talked with the aid of a silver tube inserted in his throat twenty years ago, met his death mysteriously at 4 o'clock this morning, when his home near Barre Mills was burned to the ground.

Evenson's blackened and charred body was badly burned and disfigured, and was reposing in what had been the cellar of his house, when Coroner William L. Tetley took charge of it.

Evenson was alone in the building when the fire started. Shortly before 4 o'clock this morning, he telephoned to neighbors that the house was on fire. Edwin Engebretson, George Simon and Edward Wege, all neighbors, were the first to arrive. Evenson was carrying out furniture, and they pitched in to help him. Shortly afterwards, Evenson disappeared, and his body was not found in the cellar until daylight this morning.

Woman Chased From Home

Mrs. Evenson and her only child, Edmund, 16, left the homestead yesterday afternoon. According to them, Evenson threatened to kill them both. Mrs. Evenson says that her husband struck the boy, and made a lunge toward her, when she ran a mile bareheaded to the home of her brother, Richard Wege. Here she stayed until the alarm of fire was given at four o'clock.

Evenson's body was identified by the silver tube in his throat. At first, the authorities suspected that Evenson had been the victim of foul play. Whether he set fire to the house or it was an accident is not known.

Neighbors told The TRIBUNE representative who went over the ground in an automobile to investigate the mystery that Evenson had had trouble with his wife for some time. They were asked a few days ago to sign a petition to have Evenson removed to the insane asylum at Mendota for the third time. The majority of those wrote upon the petition that in their estimation Evenson was perfectly sane.

Argues With Wood Cutters

A peculiar circumstance, connected with the burning of the house, and one which Coroner Tetley is investigating here, is that of an alleged argument Evenson is said to have had with two woodcutters, namely L. E. Pfifer, giving his address as La Crosse, and Frank Ryan, giving his home as being in Ohio. They had been working for Evenson for several months. Evenson told neighbors that they worked very slow, and that he did not want them on that account. They are said to have made a contract with Evenson to cut 100 cords of wood during their stay. When they left they had cut but fifty cords, and Evenson is said to have had to pay them $11 more than he had contracted for.

Woodcutters Drive Away

Evenson told Engebretson, a farmer living nearby, and a close friend, that the woodcutters had left about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. They had a rig with them and drove to the city.

The last seen of Evenson prior to

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"Runaway June"

The story of a Great Movie Play, will begin in The TRIBUNE tomorrow. First episode

"The Man with the Black Van Dyke."

The story of one episode will be told each Tuesday.

BLOCKADE OF GERMAN COAST TO BE WEAPON AGAINST NEW WARFARE

WAR COSTS BRITAIN SEVEN MILLION AND HALF EACH DAY

So Asquith Tells Parliament Asking Additional Credit of 185 Millions

MUST ADVANCE TO HEAR ALLIES

More Funds to Be Placed at the Disposal of Servia and Belgium

LONDON, March 1.—Premier Asquith this afternoon asked the house of commons to vote a credit of $185,000,000 for war expenditures for the remainder of the period ending March 31, making a total appropriation thus far of $1,810,000,000.

The war has cost England alone about $7,500,000 a day, the premier declared in parliament, but the prime minister assured members England could stand the drain upon her resources for years without an actual crisis.

Premier Asquith announced that as the result of the recent conference at Paris, England probably will advance more funds to Servia and to Belgium. This will be in addition to $4,000,000 already advanced to Servia, and the $50,000,000 advanced to Belgium.

The war expenditures are steadily rising, the premier added. By April 1, he said, the war will be costing England at least $8,500,000 daily.

DEATHBLOW WILL BE AIMED AT TEUTON COMMERCE

Statement Expected to Make Threat of Enforcement Unless Submarine Blockade Stops

LONDON, March 1.—Great Britain today made public her answer to German submarine attacks upon British merchantmen. Premier Asquith announced in the house of commons that the government has decided to lay an embargo against the shipment of all commodities, including foodstuffs, into Germany. At the same time, the prime minister said, steps will be taken to prevent Germany from shipping commodities of any kind to other countries.

Notes carrying this announcement have been sent to the neutral powers. They were transmitted by British diplomatic representatives at about the same time the premier made the government's policy known in the house of commons.

France to Aid

France will join Great Britain in enforcing the blockade of Germany, Premier Asquith announced. In this connection, he warned neutral countries that the allies would not be diverted from their purpose by any protests that the embargo was upsetting the world's comerce.

"These new measures will be enforced by the British and French governments without risk to neutrals," he said, "and in strict accordance with the dictates of humanity. It is not proposed, however, to let our efforts be strangled by a network of judicial niceties. If neutrals suffer, it is, of course, to be regretted. But, let them remember that this sort of warfare was not instigated nor encouraged by England."

Virtual Blockade

Laying of the embargo is virtually a decree of blockade of the German coast. It comes in response to a public demand in England, expressed through the press, that the government assert itself in drastic reprisals against Germany for her action in torpedoing British merchantmen without warning.

The allies have purposely avoided decreeing an immediate blockade. It was pointed out by government officials that while the prospective announcement is without precedent in international law, it was drafted to avoid conflict with neutral countries. Certain concessions may be made to neutral shippers that would be out of the question, if the allies adopted their inflexible blockade.

U. S. Must Submit

WASHINGTON, March 1.—America must submit to England's proposed "blockade" against Germany, in the state department experts' opinion this afternoon, based on what they know of English plans through unofficial reports.

The English blockade probably will not work extreme hardships to American commerce, according to a prominent official. At present America can ship non-contraband to Germany and receive certain dyestufs and chemicals. Such trade will be halted if the blockade materializes but the United States will be able to get her dyestuffs through the new invention of an interior department expert.

FOREIGN POLICY OF 'Y' ACTIVITIES HURT THROUGH WAR

Abner C. Gran and Other Association Workers Here to Attend Chicago Conference

A. C. Gran, general secretary of the La Crosse Young Men's Christian association, will attend an all-day conference at Chicago Wednesday of a selected group of Y. M. C. A. secretaries and business men of this country. The conference will be held in the Hotel Sherman.

The matter of establishing a new policy for foreign work especially in Europe and Asia, made necessary by the European war, will be brought before the conference.

Dr. John R. Mott of New York, who recently returned from Europe where he was in conference with the German, French and British governments regarding work with the armies, will be at the meeting in Chicago. Other prominent men to attend will be George Sherwood Eddy of New York, and Fletcher S. Brockman, secretary of the association in China.

Cyrus McCormick is Host

Secretaries present will be the guests at luncheon of the board of managers of the Chicago Y. M. C. A. Cyrus H. McCormick will act as host at luncheon to the visiting business men.

George W. Burton, Henry A. Salzer and Alfred James of this city, also have been invited to attend the conference.

STRIKE LEADERS TO CONFER LOOKING TO CONCILIATION

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Representatives of the striking East Ohio coal miners may confere with Secretary of Labor Wilson late today. The department was informed that several were here. An effort will be made to bring about a conciliation.

Representative Francis of Ohio, asked President Wilson to intervene in the Ohio soft coal fields strike. He said it was apparent the commission named by Labor Secretary Wilson has failed, and that the situation is rapidly becoming almost as serious as was the Colorado dispute.

SNOWBALLED, SHE SHOOTS BOY

WETA, S. D., March 1.—Four small boys snowballed Mrs. A. W. Brock, wife of the postmaster. She pulled a revolver and is under bail today charged with having fired into the crowd of kiddies. One bullet is alleged to have struck Francis Solon in the shoulder.

PETROGRAD SAYS HINDENBURG IS ON DEFENSIVE

Claimed That Drive Toward Warsaw-Petrograd Railway Has Been Halted by Fresh Troops

BOTH SIDES SUFFERING HEAVILY

Germans Bringing Up Busy Berthas to Reduce the Fortress of Ossowetz

PETROGRAD, March 1.—From the Niemen to Mlava, van Hindenburg's drive toward the Warsaw-Petrograd railway, has been halted. Reinforced Russian armies are rolling the Germans back upon the Mlava. The most severe fighting is along a narrow road, and it is admitted that German artillery has inflicted heavy losses on the troops of the czar.

The German left wing has suffered heavily west of the Niemen, near Sopockinie. Several bodies of the Germans advancing through the swamps from Augustof, have been slaughtered by fresh Russian forces from Grodno.

The Germans are making desperate efforts against the fortress of Ossowetz. Reports from Grodno today said that 42 centimeter guns are being put into position to shell the fortress.

In East Galicia the Austrians have brought up heavy artillery from near Krasna, but have been unable to advance toward Dniester. More than 6,000 prisoners have been taken by the Russians west and south of Stanislau, including several hundred Germans.

French Claim Advances

PARIS, March 1.—French troops on the offensive in the Champagne region have now advanced their lines over a width of nearly a mile and a half, according to dispatches received from the front today. Northwest of Perthes, the Germans have made several unsuccessful counter-attacks, but have been beaten off. The French yesterday gained new trenches, adjacent to those captured in last week's fighting.

In the Vosges, the French continued to gain ground near Chippallotte. The Germans have abandoned their attempts to take the offensive at this point.

French infantry regiments have made a series of successful charges against the Germans on the heights of Vauquois, near Varennes.

Attacks in Vain?

BERLIN, via Wireless to London, March 1.—The French are making desperate but vain efforts to recapture Badenviller, in the Vosges, and to press in the right wing of the crown prince's army north of Verdun, according to official dispatches this afternoon.

At Vauquois, southeast of Varennes and northwest of Verdun, the enemy delivered five furious attacks against the forces of the crown prince. They were beaten back in each instance, but the battle continued.

In the eastern theater of war the heaviest fighting is occurring northwest of the Russian fortress of Ostrolenka. The Russians in heavy force have violently assailed the German lines, but have been beaten off.

BERNSTORFF TO RETURN

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Secretary of State Bryan said today he knew nothing of reports that German Ambassador Count von Bernstorff was about to quit the country. The embassy, too, said it was ignorant of them. The ambassador was understood to be in New York.

CHASED HER IN UNIE

CHICAGO, March 1.—Sporting only the latest make of union suit between himself and the frosty air, Albert Beilfuss chased out on the street after his wife, Mrs. Tina Beilfuss testified today in asking a divorce.

'FORTS' IN YARDS SUCCUMB AFTER ALL NIGHT BATTLE

Allied Cops After Desperate Engagement Occupy Greek Stronghold and Imprison Defenders

THREE DOZEN MADE PRISONERS

Strain of Reinforcements Eventually Wears Down Garrison Which Surrenders at Daylight

ROW STARTS OVER GAME OF CARDS

Clash Between Two Greeks Attracts Officers and Then Everybody Takes a Hand

After a continuous exchange of shots, lasting from 10 until midnight Sunday, followed by desultory firing until early this morning, the "forts" at the entrance to Grand Crossing have succumbed to the allied "cops" according to an official statement issued at the police headquarters here today.

Shortly after 10 o'clock Sunday night Guy Colby, night "scout" for the Burlington railroad was attracted to the north end of the yards by rifle and revolver shots. Creeping close he saw the "enemy"—mostly Greeks—involved in an internal struggle.

Calls Reinforcements

He at once returned to "camp" and used the field telephone to summon "Privates" Ashland and Yehle of the La Crosse police force. Thus reinforced he again approached the land occupied by the Greeks and opened fire. The defending force was too strong and again it was necessary for the allied coppers to call for reinforcements.

This time special scout of the "Q," A. D. Garrow, accompanied by Sergeant Britton, representing the La Crosse police, proceeded to the scene. Garrow, with the judgment acquired by long service, attempted a parley. Creeping cautiously to within a few yards of the Greeks' forts—rather, box cars—he hoisted his handkerchief on a willow limb.

Answered by Volley

A volley of shots from the cars answered.

"Let's charge them!" suggested Yehle.

"Ashland, you go and try and talk to them," suggested Garrow.

"Not me. If I want to die I'll go to Europe," promptly responded Ashland, who already had felt the air from a "sawed-off."

"Alright. Wait until daylight. We can see better," wisely decided Garrow.

In the meantime a special messenger had been dispatched to police headquarters with requests for additional reinforcements.

At 6 o'clock the police auto, driven by Capt. Lawrence Dugan and carrying Patrolmen Duke, Arneson, Rick, Roberge and Groeschner, armed with heavy riot guns, started for the scene.

The "forts" were surrounded. The Greeks again attempted to drive off the attackers but seeing they were outnumbered, hoisted the white flag.

Special Train to Base

A box car was backed up to the scene and the entire garrison, thirty-six in number, were loaded in and conveyed to the south side. There they were met by additional guards in the forms of Patrolmen Sam Johnson and Frank Wolfe and were escorted to the police station.

This afternoon Bill Boclis and Antonius Frangias, two of the outfit, paid $25 fine and costs and the others were released.

Oh, yes. The fight was purely a local affair, originating when Boclis accused Frangias of cheating in a card game.

HERE IT IS

The Dollar Day paper we have been announcing for a week or more. It contains an advertisement from practically every La Crosse merchant, offering special inducements for

DOLLAR DAY

Wednesday, March 3rd

If you are interested in saving money, you will look over every ad. in this paper tonight. Take The Tribune with you when you go shopping Wednesday.

ALLIED FLEET NOW SIXTEEN MILES WITHIN DARDANELLES STRAITS

Dacia Seized in English Channel by French Ship

BREST, France, March 1.—The American cotton steamer Dacia was towed into the naval harbor here today, escorted by a French cruiser that stopped her in the channel Saturday night.

KAOLIN FOUND HERE ON SUITER FARM HAS HIGH VALUE

Clay from Which China and Pottery Is Made Is Plentiful at North Bend

Exigencies developed by the European war may result in the birth of a new industry in this locality.

A deposit of kaolin, the clay from which the highest grade of china is made, has been discovered on the F. C. Suiter farm at North Bend, twenty miles north of here. Tests of the clay are now being made by a government geologist at Ames, Iowa.

The American supply of kaolin is extremely limited, most of the world's supply being in Germany and Austria. On account of the war, the manufacture of china in the old countries and the exportation of the clay to potteries in this country has been stopped. Since the outbreak of the war, government geologists have been combing the country for kaolin. Attention was directed to the deposit near here through the state geological survey made recently.

Has High Commercial Value

Dr. Suiter has known of the existence of the deposit for a number of years, in fact he exhibited some of the clay at the St. Louis exposition, at which it was adjudged of a high commercial value. On account of poor shipping facilities the owner was unable before to put the clay on the market at a profit. Firms in Chicago have offered fifteen dollars a ton for the kaolin, the mark set by the government geological survey.

According to Dr. Suiter, the deposit is one of three in Wisconsin. One of the other two fields is nearly exhausted. The other deposit is at Hersey.

The field on the Suiter farm is approximately twenty acres in extent and has an average depth, it is thought of about thirty feet. One bore revealed a depth of 47 feet.

PROMINENT MAN MURDER SUSPECT

Well-to-do Aurora Citizen One of Two Men to Whom Suspicion Points in the Peterson Case

AURORA, Ill., March 1.—Search for the brute who pounded Emma Peterson to death last Thursday today narrowed to two men, whose identity is known. Chief of Police Michaels declared this afternoon that the two will be in the hands of the police tonight. One of them is a well-to-do Aurora citizen, who heretofore has lived with no hint of suspicion against his name.

The announcement electrified the city this afternoon. So intense is the interest in the hunt for the girl's slayer that the positive announcement is taken to mean that Police Chief Michaels is close to a solution not only of the Peterson killing, but also to the mysterious murder of Theresa Hollander in February, 1914, and of Jennie Miller last fall.

Jess Williams, a negro held as a suspect in the case, early today confessed that he robbed and cruelly beat Mrs. Francis E. Schwarz, 70 years old, after maltreating her last Saturday. When the confession became generally known, indignation rose to fever pitch. Williams had to be taken to Wheaton under heavy guard.

RAISE FALLS RATE

BUFFALO, N. Y., March 1.—The rate from this city to Niagara Falls was increased today from 50 to 60 cents. The advance is due to the attitude of the Inter-State Commerce Commission that the passenger department ought to pay its share of the operating expense.

MOULIN ROUGH BURNS

PARIS, March 1.—The Moulin Rouge, the most famous resort along the Paris night coast is in ashes The entire fire department of Paris was called out, but a high wind fanned the blaze and the building is almost a total loss.

LED BY BRITISH DREADNAUGHT THEY BATTER FORWARD

The Greatest Bombarding Squadron Ever Assembled Smashing Defenses of Constantinople

LANDING PARTIES HELP THE WORK

Fighting Between Sailors and Moslem Infantry in Progress on Plains of Troy

LONDON, March 1.—Sixteen miles inside the Dardanelles, the greatest fleet ever assembled for a bombardment, is smashing the defense of Constantinople into ruins today. A lighthouse south of Fort Kilid Bahr, on the European side, has been demolished. Hurling 1,950 pound projectiles, the mammoth dreadnaught Queen Elizabeth already has inflicted severe damage on the fort itself, one of the strongest in eastern Europe.

Mahomet's centuries-long hold upon the Dardanelles is being slowly loosened. French monoplanes are darting over the plains of ancient Troy, on reconnoitering expeditions. Fighting between landing parties and Turkish infantry is occurring within a mile of Achilles' tomb.

To Save Isthmus

Unconfirmed reports say the allies will seize the isthmus at its narrowest part, near Bulair, and cut the European forts off from communication with Constantinople. One report had it that this feat actually had been accomplished by landing parties in the Gulf or Seros. Military experts, however, did not credit it.

From Athens and Cairo came today dispatches indicating that the Ottoman capital is in a state of terror. The Turkish general staff has summarily halted the Turkish campaigns in the Caucasus and along the Suez canal. A Cairo dispatch said the Turks are evacuating Sinai peninsula abandoning some of the guns they dragged across the desert for an assault upon the canal.

The Angli-French fleet has suffered small damage thus far. Superior in gun range, the larger fighting units are hammering at the Turkish forts from a distance and shells fired in reply fall short.

Turks Losses 5,000

Turkish losses in the bombardment thus far, total 5,000 dead and wounded, according to a cablegram from Salonika today. Troop trains from Constantinople are clogging the railways on the European side, and the Turkish wounded lie behind the forts, without medical attention.

Artillery detachments which landed on the European side of the entrance and ran up the British and French flags over the captured Turkish positions are moving northward to attack Kilid Bahr from the rear.

Rumania Worried

BERLIN, via Wireless to Sayville, March 1.—Rumania is alarmed over the possibility that Russia may gain Constantinople and dominate the Dardanelles, in event of a victory for the allies, according to dispatches received here. A Rumania deputy, it was declared, has interpelated the government on the recent declaration of M. Sazanoff, Russian minister of foreign affairs, that the czar hopes to retain the Ottoman capital after the war.

Weather

Temperatures yesterday:
High, 32.
Low, 12.
Precipitation, 0.

Forecast for La Crosse and vicinity: Fair tonight and probably Tuesday. Rising temperature.

For Wisconsin: Fair tonight and Tuesday. Not much change in temperature.

For Minnesota: Mostly cloudy tonight and Tuesday; probably unsettled Tuesday.

For Iowa: Increasing cloudiness tonight and Tuesday; probably rain or snow west portion. Rising temperature.

Weather Conditions

The weather is fair this morning in all sections but with considerable cloudiness in the plains states and at coast stations. The temperature is generally below the seasonal normal east of the Mississippi river, about normal in the plains states and somewhat below normal in the extreme northwest.

The pressure is high east of the Rocky mountains, except along the Atlantic coast, and below normal west of the Rocky mountains.

These pressure conditions will cause fair weather in this section tonight and probably Tuesday, with slightly higher temperature.

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Greatest bargain we have ever offered in our basement

27 inch Flouncings of fine Swiss, bought to sell at 65c and 75c per yard, Wednesday, Dollar day, 2 yards for

$1.00

Ladies' knee length Knit Skirts, pure wool, natural color only, $1.50 quality, at

$1.00

Pure Linen, hand made Lace Cluny Center Pieces at

$1.00

A very special bargain.

Natural color pure Linen Center with linen lace edge, 24 and 30 inch round, $1.75 quality, at

$1.00

Sunfast Draperies, all colors, at per yard

$1.00

One lot of Ladies' Wrappers and House Dresses at

$1.00

These Prices Are For This One Day ONLY

HOUSTON, MINN.

HOUSTON, Minn., March 6.—(Special.)—Mrs. G. L. Schonlau entertained the "T. E." club Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Briggs entertained about thirty of their friends at their home Friday evening. Five hundred was played. At a late hour lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Julsrud entertained at a party Friday afternoon in honor of their daughter Hjordis's birthday. A large birthday cake lighted with five candles, besides a delicious lunch, was enjoyed by the little ones.

Oscar Johnson and Miss Olga Hostvet were married at the Lutheran parsonage Wednesday. The groom has rented the M. H. Forsyth farm, onto which they will move.

C. Iverson left this week for his home at Wolford, N. D. His wife will remain for some time.

Miss Edna Onstine has been visiting her cousins at La Crosse.

Mrs. G. E. Steves has returned from a month's visit with her sister at Warrod, Minn.

Miss Elma Lilly who has been staying with Geneva Rank at a La Crosse hospital, has returned.

R. E. Briggs of Rochester, spent Sunday with his wife here.

Miss Edna Hvambsal, G. E. Steves and wife, J. R. Gordon and Thomas Chapel spent Saturday at La Crosse.

Miss Ethel McMillan of Byron, Minn., spent the week end at home.

Miss Pearl Zeches entertained her sister on Sunday.

Alfred Redding of Bingham Lake, is visiting relatives.

Miss Helen Amidon, Dyllone Hempstead and Allen Whitehouse won in the declamatory contest Thursday evening.

Gale Rank and M. Olson of Mabel will build a garage in our village next to the power plant. They intend to begin the building as soon as possible.

Miss Genevieve Rank has returned from a La Crosse hospital where she successfully underwent an operation.

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RELIEF SHIP TO SAIL

BOSTON, March 1.—The New England Belgian committee announced today that a second relief ship for Belgium will be ready to sail within twenty-four hours.

To Cure Catarrh Purify the Blood

Reason it Out, Where Does it Start the Mucus From?



Innumerable catarrh sufferers have cured themselves by purifying their blood with S. S. S. Catarrh often invades the entire system before it chokes the nasal passages. It becomes so chronic and extensive that the stomach, liver, kidneys, bronchial tubes and most of the glands are involved without such serious conditions being realized. Catarrh may be the result of some serious blood trouble of former years, and this is only one of the many peculiar effects of impure blood. Now S. S. S., in its influence upon the mucous surfaces, causes those catarrhal secretions to be changed or converted into a substance easily, quickly, and naturally expelled from the body. It so changes this mucus that it is not the ropy, clogging stuff that plugs the nose, chokes the throat, causes severe bowel trouble, upsets the stomach and contaminates the food just entering the blood. It is often difficult to convince catarrh sufferers that chronic cough, chest pains, gagging, fetid breath and other symptoms are only the local evidence of deep seated trouble. Get a bottle of S. S. S. today and try it. You will get good results, real benefit and soon be aware of a gradual cleaning up and a check to the progress and dangers of catarrh. Avoid substitutes. S. S. S. is prepared only by The Swift Specific Co., 61 Swift Bldg., Atlanta, Ga. They conduct a medical department for free advice that is worth while consulting.

Museum of Daily Facts and Freaks

Milwaukee Heathens Lead Fiji

BELOIT, Wis.—Rev. H. D. Davies of Wauwatosa, Wis., assured a local congregation that there are more heathens in Milwaukee than there are in the Fiji islands.

Suggests Strong-Arm Campaign

NEW YORK.—"If every woman would do as I have done, there would be fewer men like this on Broadway," said Miss Beatrice Waldeck, a singer, after she had knocked a man down who annoyed her.

Did He Catch It?

NEW YORK.—"We're strangers and are afraid of losing our money," said two men to Francisco Casipere, a farmer. "So am I," returned Casipere, pulling out $200. A moment later he was chasing his $200 up the street.

Thief Returns Kiddies Picture

NEW YORK.—"Golly," a famous pickininny Christmas painting, has been returned to the owner. The thief sent a note along, saying he did not know it was to cheer the "kiddies," or he wouldn't have stolen it.

Harness Galls on Harness Bulls

PITTSBURG. — Policemen here have lost 10 to 20 pounds each, staggering under the sixteen pound winter coats, made partly of asbestos and felt. Some have shoulder corns and harness galls.

Pays $50 for Milk Wagon Dash

CHICAGO—Mrs. Al H. Woods paid a milk wagon driver $50 to rush her back to the station where she had left $5,000 worth of jewels in her Pullman berth. She recovered the sparklers.

STRINGENT BOOZE LAWS

CHARLESTON, W. Va., March 1.—The new law which went into effect today will make it very inconvenient to procure liquor in this state. After this date common carriers will not be allowed to bring intoxicants into the state, or to transport it from part to another. Any persons bringing it in for their own use must have the container labelled if it is over one-half gallon. Liquor may be carried in from Ohio and Pennsylvania, but Kentucky and Virginia are dry in the adjoining counties. The man living inland is in a bad way of getting his "booze."

TAKES PHILADELPHIA CHURCH

PHILADELPHIA, March 1.—The Rev. Dr. John Mockridge, vicar of Trinity parish, New York, today began his new duties as rector of St. James' Protestant Episcopal church, one of the oldest and wealthiest congregations of this city. He succeeded the Rev. Dr. William C. Richardson, who died last summer while on his vacation.



And Then Took Her on His Knee.

Daddy's Bedtime Story — About the Little Girl Who Did Not Believe.

"ONCE upon a time," began daddy as the kiddies ran to him for the evening story, "there was a little girl who liked fairy stories very, very much.

"But you know, kiddies, she had a funny little brain that wouldn't let her believe these wonderful tales. But she wanted to believe them, just as her brothers and sisters and all her little cousins and friends did.

"This little girl was a German fraulein and lived in Berlin, where the great Jacob Grimm lived, who wrote 'Grimm's Fairy Tales.'

"One night this little girl's mother read a very pretty fairy tale, the last of which went something like this:

"'Whoever refuses to believe this story owes me a thaler,' which is German for about forty or fifty cents in our money.

Little Gertrude pondered upon the ending of this story for a long time, and then she went to her little bank and took out all the money she had in it.

"It wasn't quite a thaler, but it was all she had. After taking this money from the bank she slipped away from the other people, got her little red hood and cape out of the closet, softly opened the door and crept downstairs.

"It was rather late for little Gertrude, who had never been in the streets alone before at night. But she scampered down the street, when she met a man and asked this man if he could tell her where Herr Grimm lived.

"The man knew, but he thought a little girl should not be out so late alone, so he offered to accompany her to the house of the fairy tale writer.

"When they arrived there the man knocked on the door, and when a maid opened it the little girl asked timidly for the fairy tale writer.

"Herr Grimm, hearing the timid little girl's voice, appeared himself at the door and asked her very kindly to enter.

"The story writer had a very kind face and twinkly eyes behind shining, big, round horn spectacles, and he asked the little girl into his study, where a big fire was blazing, and then he took her on his knee and asked her what he could do for her.

"Then she dug into her pocket, got out her little handkerchief, untied the knots in it and offered him the money.

"'What is this for?' asked the man.

"'Cause I don't believe that fairy story you wrote, and so I brought you all the money I had, 'cause you said that any one that didn't believe it owed you a thaler.'

"Then how that story writer man and the other man did laugh!"

The TRIBUNE'S Daily Short Story

IN THE TRENCHES

BY DOROTHY BLACKMORE

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"The enemy is in your trenches again, Sis,' cried Teddy Herbert to his sister, who had not yet come down to breakfast.

"Dear, dear!" he heard her exclaim, and then he heard hurried footsteps and saw Mattie run down stairs, pick up a coat that was lying on a chair in the hall, and slam the front door after her.

"Mat's some hustler when she wants to,' he remarked to his mother, who sat behind the coffee pot at the table.

"Indeed she is, and I feel sorry she has this trouble to contend with just now when she was showing such enthusiasm on so practical a subject," sighed Mrs. Herbert.

"Look at her chase those chickens!" laughed Teddy, pulling aside the dining room curtain and looking out into the garden spot at the side of the Herbert home.

Four sixty-foot trenches lay open and Mattie was running back and forth chasing away the neighbors' chickens. The fresh fertilizer which had been placed so carefully in each of the trenches was scattered everywhere, and dismay was written all over the girl's face when she turned to come into the house.

"It's a shame!" she said, as she took her place at the table, breathing hard, but looking as fresh as a rose after her exercise in the invigorating March air. "And this one year when I had planned so much on my sweet peas and have followed directions so carefully. What shall I do, mother?"

"Shoot the chickens,' suggested Teddy.

'This isn't the war, Teddy,' his sister said, squelchingly. "These are sweet pea trenches."

"But if it were not for the war, my dears," sighed Mrs. Herbert again, "we would not feel the necessity for having these trenches so carefully planted. I believe Mattie can make a success of her flowers if—"

"If I can gather up my nerve and go next door to interview the neighbors about their chickens," Mattie said. "I could do it this minute, I believe."

Mrs. Herbert raised a protesting hand. "No, dear, not in this frame of mind. You might say something—not neighborly."

Mattie bit a large piece of toast off the slice she had taken and chewed it vehemently as if to express her sentiments. "It's the only time I can go—when I'm in this frame of mind—when I've just returned from looking at that wasted time and energy and money out there! It's the third time those chickens have come over here and scratched up my trenches, and it is absolutely necessary that I leave them open for a few days to warm up before I plant the seeds. Now—what am I to do?"

"I pass," said Teddy, getting up from the table. "It's not my funeral, Mat. So long!" And with that he was gone. Teddy was not old enough to let the family worries lie on his shoulders.

Mattie and her mother were finishing breakfast in silence when they heard the knocker on the front door. "I'll go,' said Mattie, as her mother started to rise.

"I—I am George Davis—next door, you know. I just saw you chasing my chickens out of your garden. I—"

"Come in, please," said Mattie, opening wide the door to the young man who was introducing himself.

"You see, I've come to stay with my brother next door for a while since my firm saw fit to cut down expenses by letting me out of a job and—well, to tell the truth, I thought my brother didn't know how to get the most out of his chickens and I've taken them in hand for a few days. He's never home and my sister is busy with the baby so—my chickens have been in your trenches owing to my folly. I apologize and will see that it does not happen again."

"Oh, don't worry!" Mattie hastened to say. "Of course, I—well, I have worked so hard with that fertilizer this spring, hoping to realize something from my sweet peas, and it has been rather disconcerting—"

"Disconcerting!" interrupted Davis. "That is polite. If I'd been in your place I think I would have blessed the whole houseful of neighbors. Did you?" he laughed.

Mattie joined him. "Perhaps you would call it blessing. I hadn't thought of it in that light. But now you won't worry, will you? I'll get out this morning and try to plant the seeds, and then—"

"Then if my chickens dig them up I needn't show my face again in this neighborhood?"

Mattie nodded, laughing. "That's it," she said.

With a few more words of apology George Davis left, and Mattie Herbert knew that she liked him and was glad that he was to be a neighbor.

That morning, when she was busy out of doors trying to repair the damage done to her trenches, George Davis looked over the hedge which separated the gardens. "It is I who should be doing that," he ventured.

"You may help," Mattie said, quickly.

The young man joined her with alacrity. He had expected her to say, "Oh, no, I wouldn't hear of such a thing," which would have been the conventional answer.

A few hours' work with her assured him that Mattie Herbert was not conventional, that she was the most original and charming girl he had met.

She told him of her plan to raise splendid, large sweet peas, prolong their season as far as possible and get a contract from a fashionable hotel in town to supply its afternoon tea tables with blossoms in separate colors. She was so confident of success that George Davis could not but help seeing her proposition in her own way.

Spring came and went, and June brought the looked-for blossoms in the Herbert's garden. The four sixty-foot trenches were a riot of bloom, and some stems held four blossoms of gigantic proportions.

Mattie and her mother and even Teddy picked sweet peas night and morning, and Mattie herself attended to the shipping. But a hot spell came upon them when the sweet peas, if they were to last during their allotted season, needed much water and more attention than the small family could give them. It was then that Mattie called upon her neighbor for help.

"I can't offer you much in return for your help, which I need badly," the girl said, frankly, "but I think if you are still out of a position you and I could do a small business together with your chickens and our ground."

"I don't need any pay for helping you," David said earnestly. "I should love to do it."

"Well, do it, for the time being and we'll talk of my plans later," Mattie told him.

And later they worked out a scheme of successive raising of table commodities for which they knew of ready and accessible markets. And while they worked on this scheme and carried it out, season by season, they fell in love with each other.

One day he told her of his love and of what he had hoped her answer might be.

"My answer is yes, of course," Mattie said. "But we must continue to be partners in business as well as in our home. I—well, I'm glad the war brought to you and to me the necessity for earning our living together. For it was the exigencies of the war situation that brought us together, wasn't it?" she asked.

"Yes, it was the enemy in your trenches, dear," he said, laughing.

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CHEVROLET ENTERS FOR SPEEDWAY RACE



Louis Chevrolet.

Louis Chevrolet, the most sensational of all American racing drivers, has entered the next Indianapolis 500-mile race at the wheel of a Cornelian, weighing only 1,000 pounds. Chevrolet is the original daredevil of the game, his reckless exploits filling a book. He has not competed since the 1910 Vanderbilt, in which he capsized and was thrown about sixty feet, but escaped without injury. His return to the game will be watched with great interest by the entire sport fraternity.

ACID IN STOMACH SOURS THE FOOD

Says Excess of Hydrochloric Acid is Cause of Indigestion

A well-known authority states that stomach trouble and indigestion is nearly always due to acidity—acid stomach—and not, as most folks believe, from a lack of digestive juices. He states that an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach retards digestion and starts food fermentation, then our meals sour like garbage in a can, forming acrid fluids and gases which inflate the stomach like a toy balloon. We then get that heavy, lumpy feeling in the chest, we eructate sour food, belch gas, or have heartburn, flatulence, waterbrash, or nausea.

He tells us to lay aside all digestive aids and instead, get from any pharmacy four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast while it is effervescing, and furthermore, to continue this for one week. While relief follows the first dose, it is important to neutralize the acidity, remove the gas-making mass, start the liver, stimulate the kidneys and thus promote a free flow of pure digestive juices.

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January Daily Average **7,721**

1—Fri	7,686	16—Sat	7,735
2—Sat	7,716	17—Sunday.	
3—Sunday.		18—Mon	7,728
4—Mon	7,709	19—Tues	7,731
5—Tues	7,724	20—Wed	7,722
6—Wed	7,711	21—Thur	7,717
7—Thur	7,702	22—Fri	7,722
8—Fri	7,721	23—Sat	7,737
9—Sat	7,716	24—Sunday.	
10—Sunday		25—Mon	7,728
11—Mon	7,728	26—Tues	7,715
12—Tues	7,742	27—Wed	7,743
13—Wed	7,731	28—Thur	7,731
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HISTORY REPEATING

The repetitions of history might become valuable did we learn from history how to meet recurrent events. Perhaps, in some things, civilization has learned. Perhaps this nation has learned.

In the existing commercial controversy which has now involved the seizure of the Dacia, we are going through much the same experience that led up to the war of 1812, and if we shall keep out of war and save our dignity, it may be said that experience has instructed us.

From that simple narrative, Ridpath's History, it may be learned that the "paper blockade," seizure of American ships and general interference with our commerce existed. The historian says:

During Jefferson's second administration the country was constantly agitated by the aggressions of the British navy on American commerce. England and France were engaged in deadly and continuous war. In order to cripple the resources of their enemy, the British authorities struck blow after blow against the trade between France and foreign nations; and Napoleon retaliated with equal energy and vindictiveness against the commerce of Great Britain. The measures adopted by the two powers took the form of blockade—that is, the surrounding of each other's ports with men-of-war to prevent the ingress and egress of neutral ships. By such means the commerce of the United States, which had grown vast and valuable while the European nations were fighting, was greatly injured and distressed.

In May of 1806 England declared the whole coast of France from Brest to the Elbe to be in a state of blockade. Neutral nations had no warning. Many American vessels, approaching the French ports, were seized and condemned as prizes; all this, too, while the harbors of France were not actually, but only declared to be, blockaded. In the following November, Bonaparte issued a decree blockading the British Isles. Again the unsuspecting merchantmen of the United States were subjected to seizure, this time by the cruisers of France. In January of the next year the government of Great Britain retaliated by an act prohibiting the French coasting-trade. Every one of these measures was in flagrant violation of the laws of nations. The belligerent powers had no right to take such steps toward each other; as to neutral states, their rights were utterly disregarded; and the nation that suffered most was the United States, for at this time she was the carrier for the whole world.

Very much the same course is now being pursued. Omitting a portion devoted to search of American ships and seizure of our seamen for British naval service, we proceed to the following paragraph in which mention is made of American retaliation quite like that now contemplated by President Wilson:

The president at once issued a proclamation forbidding British ships of war to enter the harbors of the United States. Still, there was no reparation; and on the 21st of December congress passed the celebrated embargo act, which cost Mr. Jefferson much of his popularity. By its provisions all American vessels were detained in the ports of the United States. The object was, by cutting off commercial intercourse with France and Great Britain, to compel them to recognize the rights of American neutrality. But the measure was of little avail; and after fourteen months the embargo act was repealed. (Note: The embargo act was the subject of much ridicule. The opponents of the measure, spelling the word backward, called it the O grab me act). Meanwhile, in November of 1808, the British government outdid all previous proceedings by issuing an "order in council," prohibiting ALL trade with France and her allies. And Napoleon, not to be outdone, issued his famous "Milan decree," forbidding all commerce with England and her colonies. Between these outrageous acts of foreign nations and the American embargo, the commerce of the United States was well-nigh crushed out of existence. The harbors were filled with rotting ships. Stores of grain and other produce were lying in barns and warehouses. New England especially suffered, and from this time until even today America has no extensive merchant marine.

We now step into Madison's administration. It will be seen that, in another form, the embargo was continued, while British oppression stubbornly continued:

The new president was inaugurated on the 4th of March, 1809. He had been a member of the continental congress, a delegate to the constitutional convention of 1787, and secretary of state under Jefferson. Long familiarity with public affairs had fitted him in an eminent degree for the presidency. He owed his election to the democratic party, whose sympathy with France and hostility to the policy of Great Britain were well known. Six days before the new administration came into power the embargo act was repealed by congress; but another measure was adopted instead, called the non-intercourse act. By its terms American merchantmen were allowed to go abroad, but were forbidden to trade with Great Britain. Mr. Erskine, the British minister, now gave notice that by the 10th of June the "orders in council," so far as they affected the United States, should be repealed. But the British government disavowed the act of its agent; and the orders stood as before.

In the following spring the emperer issued a decree authorizing the seizure of all American vessels that might approach the ports of France or other harbors held by his troops. But on November of the same year the hostile decree was reversed, and all restrictions on the commerce of the United States were removed. If Great Britain had acted with equal liberality and justice, there would have been no further complaint. But that government, with peculiar obstinacy, adhered to its former measures, and sent ships of war to hover around the American ports and enforce the odious orders issued in previous years. It was only a question of time when such insolence would lead to retaliation and war.

Surely, history is repeating itself so far as the commercial phase of our foreign relations is concerned. In the former incident, which ended in war, there was the greater aggravation of the seizures of American citizens. But, aside from that, it was right there that the English destroyed the merchant marine which this country has never been able to restore.

Leach Cross had to cancel a fight because of a boil in his nose, which made Leach cross.

Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

Statesmen of the G. O. P.
With the presidential bee,
Jump on Woodrow Wilson every day
In a most alarming way.
'Tis the accusation season.
Everything we ever heard before,
Is laid right at Wilson's door.
They abuse him, without stint,
And they ask for "leave to print,"
So their speeches can be sent
Back to the constituent.
'Tis the customary flurry.
As to Woodrow, he should worry.
For the reason doth appear,
Next comes presidential year.
It would be a serious blunder
Not to have some campaign thunder.
No news about the statesmen's speeches.
That's enough, for they are peaches.

Land Come High

Some real estate dealers in British Columbia were accused of having victimized English and Scotch settlers by selling to them at long range fruit ranches which were situated on the tops of mountains. It is said of a steamboat on Kootenay lake once heard a great splash in the water. Looking over the rail, he spied the head of a man who was swimming toward his boat. He hailed him.

"Do you know," said the swimmer, "this is the third time today that I've fallen off that bally old ranch of mine!"

Need No Help

A tourist, traveling in the north of Scotland, far from anywhere, exclaimed to a native:

"Why, what do you do when any of you are ill? You can never get a doctor."

"Nae, sir," replied Sandy. "We've jist to dee a nattural death."

Pop-Pop for Ben-Hur

Tragedian—You tell me, sirrah, that I am behind the times.

Manager—Yes. You come with me. I'm going to produce a modern version of "Ben-Hur," with motorcycles for the principals in the chariot race. —Judge.

Sure of Bait

"Is she going to marry the young man who saved her from drowning?"

"I think so."

"But is she sure that he is able to support her in the style to which she has been accustomed?"

"Yes, she looked him up in Bradstreet's before she fell in."

In High Finances

A West Virginia darky, a blacksmith, recently announced a change in his business as follows:

"Notice—De co-pardnership heretofore resisting between me and Mose Skinner is hereby resolved. Dem what owe de firm will settle wid me, and dem what de firm owes will settle wid Mose."

Retreat Is Useless

The war was being discussed from all angles at the regular Saturday night meeting of the Gin and Possum Colored Gentlemen's Social club.

"Yas, suh!" announced Pomp Dawson, with a wise look in his rolling eyes, "dem Gahmans has got guns dat'll shoot an' shoot tuh kill at twenty-fi' miles."

"Huh?" asked Brother Jackson, cocking his head.

"Yes, suh ½" went on Pomp. "Dey not on'y shoot twenty-fi' miles, but dey kill at twenty-fi' miles."

"Great land!" gasped Jackson. "Feller'd run all day an' git killed 'bout supper time, wouldn't he?"—Life.

Not Scotch Collie

A teacher in an Englewood school asked the other day:

"How many kinds of flowers are there?"

Three pupils held up their hands. She chose one to reply.

"Well, Isidore, how many kinds of flowers are there?"

"Three, teacher."

"Indeed? And what are they?"

"Wild, tame an' collie."

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ALBANY, N. Y., March 1.—The acceptance of applications for pheasants' eggs will be closed today. The eggs will be distributed in April. The young birds are not sent out until late in July. Chief Protector Legge will send out mother birds with broods, believing that in this way better results may be obtained. Sportsmen's clubs, farmers and others interested in the work of increasing the supply of pheasants in the state have indicated a hearty co-operation with the commission.

LONDON PONY SHOW

LONDON, March 1.—The National Pony society, the Hunters' Improvement society and the Hackney Horse society began a show at the Royal Agricultural Hall here today which will continue for a week. Tuesday and Wednesday are set apart for the hunter and horse section. Thursday for the pony section, and Friday and Saturday for the hackney.

MILITANTS TO FRONT?

BERLIN, via Wireless to Sayville, L. I., March 1.—Two battalions of English Suffragettes have been landed in Havre, France, according to the official press bureau. The press bureau asserted that the suffragettes will drive motors cars, relieving male drivers who will be sent to the battle front.

REMARKABLE CASE of Mrs. HAM

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LEACH CROSS TO CANCEL FIGHT

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The Best of Chester

A TALE OF RED ROSES

By Geo. Randolph Chester
Author of Get-Rich-Quick Wallingford, Etc.

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He turned to go when, in the adjoining window, he caught sight of a little, low, colonial coupe, with seating capacity for three. It was of an exquisitely beautiful shape, with small, latticed window-panes and dainty lace curtains. He walked slowly toward it, his habitually cold gray eyes brightening, and as he stood before it, he thrust his hands deep in his pockets and positively laughed aloud.

"That's our newest ladies' car," explained the salesman, following him. "The women are crazy about them; self-starting, electric lights inside, shopping flaps everywhere, adjustable satin seat coverings, and all the latest boudoir improvements."

Sledge scarcely heard him. He was still laughing. Nothing he had ever seen had struck him so humorously as the "cuteness" of this car.

"It's swell!" he chuckled. "Got a red one?"

"No, they're only made in black," the salesman told him. "The color effects are obtained by the cushion coverings and silk curtains."

"Put red ones in this. Got another one?"

"There's one just being set up in the shop," stated the overjoyed salesman. "It's an order."

"Make that one blue."

"Do you want them this afternoon?" asked the clerk, figuring that it was worth while to put off the other customer.

"Sure!" said Sledge. "Right away."

"I'll get busy immediately," promised the salesman, delirious with happiness. "Where do they go?"

"Molly Marley gets the red one. The blue one's for her friend, Fern Nix or who sent 'em."

"They'll want to know," the salesman insisted.

"Aw, tell 'em Frank Marley."

He dropped out as stolidly as he had come in, and headed for the Occident, but, half-way there, he turned back and stopped at a florist's.

"What are they wearing to Hamlet?" he wanted to know.

"It depends largely on the lady's costume," the florist explained.

"I get you," returned Sledge, with a worried expression. "Say, you make up eight or ten fussy bouquets, all different kinds. Send 'em out to Frank Marley's house in time for the theater."

Just across the street from the florist's was the largest jewelry shop in town, and the display in the windows gave him an idea. He strode in, asked for the proprietor, and got him.

"I want a rock that weighs about a pound," he stated.

"A diamond? Yes, Mr. Sledge. Something for an emblem?"

"Naw! Lady's ring. Solitaire."

"We have some beauties," bragged the jeweler, immediately aglow with enthusiasm. "Here is a nice little three-carat stone, which is flawless and perfectly cut."

"Is this the best you got?" inquired Sledge, looking into the case.

"We have some larger ones unset, but they are not usually mounted in ladies' rings," responded the jeweler, struggling between his artistic conscience and his commercialism.

"Let's see 'em."

Reverently, the jeweler produced from his safe a covered and locked tray, on which, on white velvet reposed a dozen sparkling white stones.

Sledge poked a stuffy forefinger at the largest one:

"Is this one right?" he wanted to know.

"It's a very good stone," the jeweler told him. "The next one to it, however, though a trifle smaller, is of much finer quality; in fact, we have not one in the shop of any size which I consider so perfect as this one. It's worth five hundred dollars more than the large one."

"That'll do," Sledge decided. "Put it in a ring."

"Very well," agreed the jeweler, trying to be nonchalant, as he consulted a slip of paper in the edge of the tray. "This stone weighs six and three-eighths carats, plus a sixteenth, Mr. Sledge. Have you the size of the ring?"

"Naw!" he returned, in disgust at his own thoughtlessness. "I'll take it loose," and he slipped the stone in his waistcoat pocket.

CHAPTER XXXII

Molly Insists on Protecting Bert

Bert Glider strode through the Marley gate, and trod on the Marley porch, and punched the Marley doorbell in a fine condition of manly indignation, and he demanded of the emaciated butler with the intellectual brow that Molly Marley be brought into his presence at once. He waited in the library, while the butler went upstairs with hasty message, and it was no comfort to his soul whatsoever to hear the girls devoting painstaking attention to an apparently endless job of giggling.

With scant consideration for the importance of the occasion, Molly, her face flushed, and her eyes glistening with moisture from her recent earnest efforts, came down when she was ready, and she was still tittering, while Fern, up-stairs, could be heard in the throes of frantic laughter.

"Hello, Bert," laughed Molly, holding her hand to her jaw, and she sat down weakly. "What's the mad rush?"

"What did you say to Sledge?" he sternly demanded.

Her most immediate reply to that was another half-hysterical outburst.

"I'm not quite sure," she giggled. "Fern and I have just been trying to recall it all, but we can only remember the funniest things."

"You've made a fool of him and of me!" snickered Bert hotly.

"We don't deserve any credit for that," snickered Molly. "It's so easy."

"The man has taken too much for granted," went on Bert, unsoftened by all this hilarity, and, indeed, made only more indignant by it. "From what your father says, Sledge seems to believe that our engagement is off, and that he has been practically accepted."

Molly put her hand over her mouth to suppress a shriek, and running out into the hall, called Fern. The girls met half-way up the stairway, where Molly explained the glad news, and Bert, stalking stolidly out there, found them holding to the balustrade, in order that their enjoyment of Sledge's obtuse understanding might not tumble them down the steps. He strode back into the library, and barked his shin on a rocker. Molly returned to him presently for more.

"I've been missing my red roses," she confessed. "Now I suppose I'll get some more. What else does he think?"

"Heaven knows," snapped Bert. "He says he's going to the theater with you tonight. Is that correct?"

(To be Continued)

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WAR ON CHARBON

BATON ROUGE, La., March 1.—Livestock owners are urged to vaccinate their animals against charbon this spring, commencing not later than today, in a circular letter just issued by the Louisiana Livestock Sanitary board. A general saving of animals will result in the opinion of the experts of the sanitary board.

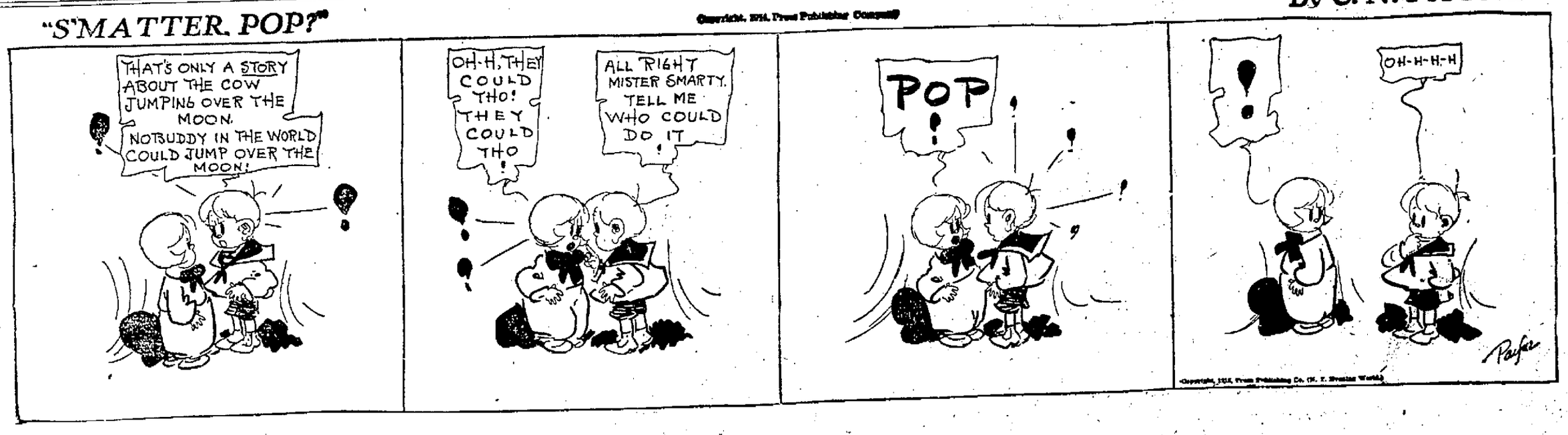
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7 yards of 18c Dress Ginghams.
5 yards of 25c Plisse Crepe.
8 yards of 15c Crinkle Crepe.
5 yards of 25c White Voile.
4 yards of 35c White Voile.
3 yards of 50c White Voile.
2 yards of 75c White Voile.
2 yards of $1.00 Fancy White Goods.
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$1.50 China Silk Waists.
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$1.25 and $1.50 Muslin Petticoats.
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House Dresses to $1.95.
Wash Dresses to $12.50.
Children's Wash Dresses to $1.50.
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$1.50 Black Sateen Petticoats.
White Wash Skirts to $3.50.

$1.50 White Pique Kid Gloves, black stitching.
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$1.50 Knit Union Suit.

3 pair of 50c Silk Hose.
4 pair of Silk Hose.
$2.00 Corsets.
2 Brassieres, 75 cent values.

BIG HORSE SALE

NEW YORK, March 1.—The Fasig-Tipton Co., today began a four day sale of saddle and carriage horses. The sale will include all of the horses of one of the successful exhibitors at the last horse show.

SERVICE FOR PROBE ENDS

NEW YORK, March 1.—The public service probe practically ended today. A speedy report is promised and it is believed that there will be some important recommendations and sensational exposures.



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AGED TREMPEALEAU WOMAN PASSES AWAY

TREMPEALEAU, Wis., March 1.—(Special.—Mrs. Maria Altenberg, 79 years of age, one of the oldest residents of Trempealeau, died at her home in this city at 11 o'clock, Monday night. Mrs. Altenberg was born in Genesee, N. Y., September 19, 1835.

She had been in poor health for some time and her death was not unexpected.

She is survived by six daughters. One son, Albert, died at Albert Lea last September.

Funeral services were held at the home Thursday afternoon, Rev. Wilkinson officiating.

Arch Ray is employed for the week at Trempealeau Mercantile store. Mr. Growt is spending the week visiting neighboring schools.

Mrs. William Rhodes returned to her home at Seattle, Friday. Mrs. Rhodes was called here some time ago by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Altenberg.

The home of W. F. Raymond was the scene of a very pleasant social gathering Saturday evening, when a number of friends surprised Mrs. Raymond, bringing a picnic supper with them.

Mrs. Florence Sands, Winona, returned to her home Friday after a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Putnam.

Roy Brayton, La Crosse, visited friends in town Thursday.

Sherman Dudley of West Salem visited at the home of William Nicholls Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Babbitt have moved here from Norwalk and will occupy the Emmet Wilcox farm east of town.

The Woodmen gave one of their popular dances at Woodman hall Wednesday evening. Barrington's orchestra furnished the music.

Mrs. C. H. Growt left for La Crosse Friday, where she attended the funeral of Miss Maude Rasmussen.

Max Sievert is contemplating establishing a ferry between Trempealeau and La Moille this spring. Mr. Sievert will also have a livery and feed stable in connection.

Mrs. William Nicholls returned from Dubuque Wednesday when she was called by the death of her sister.

Messrs. C. A. Dutton and William Nicholls spent Sunday and Monday in Minneapolis.

C. H. Growt, L. E. Putnam and Fern Atwood were sightseeing in Winona Monday.

Miss Mildred Carhart of West Prairie spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Carhart.

Mrs. Ollie Spear of La Crosse is visiting her mother, Mrs. S. M. Stangl.

The high school was entertained at Harley Townsend's Friday night.

Carroll Nicholls has been confined to his home this week by a severe cold.

Miss Lillian Stangl returned Saturday from La Crosse.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Keefe are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Keefe.

Miss Auline Nicholls of La Crosse spent the last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Nicholls.

Mr. and Mrs. Phelps returned to Onalaska Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Towner of Whitehall were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Towner Thursday.

WIRE SUPERINTENDENT OF UNITED PRESS IS DEAD

"Jim" Rafter, Old Time Star Operator and Fastest Sender in the Service for Many Years, Dies in Brooklyn

NEW YORK, March 1.—James J. Rafter, superintendent of telegraph for the United Press, and one of the best known operators in the United States, died at his home in Brooklyn today. He was 42 years old, and is survived by his father and mother, a wife, brother and four sisters.

Rafter was for eleven years the "star" operator for the old United Press and Publishers' Press. He became superintendent of telegraph for the new United Press in 1907. Up until four years ago, when he suffered a breakdown, "Jim" Rafter, the fastest, coolest sender in the United Press, was always the Morse man chosen to handle the leased wires at conventions, world's series games, football contests and other big stories. He prided himself on the number of "beats" which he had sent over the United Press leased wires.

Rafter died from a complication of diseases, following rheumatism. He realized a week ago that the end was near, and planned all his affairs with this idea in view. Interment will probably be at Kingston, N. Y.

DONATIONS FOR BELGIUM

BOSTON, Mass., March 1.—The Belgian Relief ship Lynotta sails today. She is laden with food and clothing which has been collected in New England. This is the second shipload that has gone from this port. For the Christmas shipload the most profound expressions of gratitude have been received from the stricken families that are living in Belgium.

Probably the largest satisfaction a man can enjoy is calling another's bluff.

WIFE OF ALLEGED SPY IS ARRESTED

Claims "Frame-up" When German Reporter Calls Police to Hotel Rooms Occupied with Her

NEW YORK, March 1.—Mrs. Richard P. Stegler was discharged in court today. The charge of felonious assault was dismissed.

NEW YORK, March 1.—Mrs. Richard P. Stegler, wife of Richard P. Stegler, the former German reservist who is now in Tombs prison in the passport fraud case, spent last night in a cell, and was today scheduled to face a judge on a charge of felonious assault, brought by Arthur W. Mateikat, a reporter for a German newspaper, who alleges Mrs. Stegler hit him on the head with a cane and threw a seltzer bottle at him.

She was arrested in a suite of rooms occupied by Mateikat and herself, at the Hotel Grenoble. They entered the hotel about 11 o'clock and Mateikat called the police about 1:30.

Mrs. Stegler said she had been "framed" because of her confessions in the passport fraud case. She told a straightforward story to the police.

"He says I injured his head. Look at it—does it show any bruises—"

Examination failed to reveal any.

Mrs. Stegler was fully dressed when detectives arrived.

Mrs. Stegler said she was induced to go to the hotel with Mateikat by his promise to reveal to her certain "important news" about the passport case.

Won't Make Charges Issue

WASHINGTON, March 1.—President Wilson personally will pass upon all of the allegations against officials of the German embassy that they have violated diplomatic ethics and the neutrality of this government.

This has been decided on, but it was emphatically denied today that there is any intention of making an issue of these or any other charges. If it shall be shown that any of these officials have abused the United States' hospitality, the facts in the case will be presented to the German government and it will decide for itself what it wants to do. The recall of the officials will not be asked.

It was stated today at the departments of state and justice at the Whitehouse that the investigation of the allegation that Captain Boy-Ed and Captain von Papen, military attache of the German embassy, is far from finished. The German embassy has officially characterized the allegation that its officials have been maintaining a secret service bureau here, and dealing in fraudulent passports, as "blackmail" and its statements will have great weight officially.

CAN'T CONNECT MAN WITH KILLING

Suspect Arrested in Chicago Convinces Police He Did Not Kill the Aurora Grl

AURORA, Ill., March 1.—Following a gruelling examination of Frank Ramsey, arrested on Friday night in Chicago, the police on Saturday gave up attempts to connect him with the murder of pretty Emma Peterson, clubbed to death near former United States Senator Hopkins' home Thursday night. They merely drew from Ramsey information tending to connect him with robbery of C. W. Marble, Middletown, Conn., traveling salesman.

Bloodhounds led searchers to an upturned canoe which the murderer is believed to have entered and then paddled down Fox river in a cunning effort to elude pursuit by dogs. But after trailing the scent from the canoe to a high abutment, all trace was lost, and the police were as much at sea as when they started the man hunt.

EMPLOYES MUST PAY RENT

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Under a presidential order effective today, employes of the Panama canal and the Panama railroad will have to pay rent and buy fuel and electric current after today. Heretofore they have been supplied free of cost.

The change follows the creation of a permanent force of employes for the operation of the canal in place of the floating labor used since the United States undertook construction of the waterway. The effect of today's order is to substantially diminish the comparatively high scale of compensation which marked the construction period.

Where employes have to live in certain designated quarters, one-half the rental will be remitted, and where quarters' compensation of army or navy officers is not sufficient to cover rent the difference will be remitted.



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Mr. and Mrs. Philip D. Armour III, photographed at Coronado Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip D. Armour III are spending the first months following their marriage early in January at Coronado Beach, Cal., where they have taken an active part in the life of the resort. Mrs. Armour, who was formerly Miss Gwendolin Condon of New York, has been wearing a veil this season—the harem veil, as it is known in fashion journals—which has been much discussed.

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3 pairs Lace Curtains for $1.00
$1.25 and $1.50 per pair Lace Curtains for only $1.00
3 yards of 25c Lace Curtain material for only $1.00
3 yards of 40c Lace Curtain material for only $1.00
2 yards of 60c Lace Curtain material for only $1.00
12 Lace Curtain Extension Rods for only $1.00
6—20c Lace Curtain Extension Rods for only $1.00
$1.25 Dining Chairs for only...$1.00
10 yards Figured Scrim for...$1.00
4 yards 30c Scrim for only...$1.00
$1.50 Pillows, per pair only..$1.00
2—50c and one 25c bottles of Liquid Veneer for only $1.00

$1.00 buys $1.20 worth of goods in any department on Dollar Day as follows:

$60.00 purchase for $48.00
$55.00 purchase for $44.00
$50.00 purchase for $40.00
$45.00 purchase for $36.00
$40.00 purchase for $32.00
$35.00 purchase for $28.00
$30.00 purchase for $24.00
$25.00 purchase for $20.00
$20.00 purchase for $16.00
$15.00 purchase for $12.00
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WAR HAS UPSET THE ARITHMETIC

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TOO MUCH BUSINESS FOR U. S.

Over-balance of Exports has Created Big Slump in Demand for Foreign Exchange

BY CARLTON TEN EYCK
(Written for the United Press.)

NEW YORK, March 1.—"Four farthings are one pence, Twelve pence are one shilling, Twenty shillings make a pound."

The arithmetics taught that, but all Wall street is wondering every morning now just how much a pound is worth in dollars and cents, and exporters who figure their margins closely chuckle or curse, depending on how their contracts with European firms are drawn.

The cause of it is too much business, and the sudden swing of America from the red to the blue side of the ledger. Once we were in everybody's debt; now it is the other way, for exports are exceeding imports, and the balance of trade is in our favor.

A few days ago there was a flurry in the foreign exchange market. The story was on the financial pages, and those who do not depend on the markets for sustenance or amusement probably passed it by, but it meant much to Wall street and more to American exporters.

The busiest men in New York on the days the market broke were the heads of the foreign departments of the big banks.

"I have been working every night until 11 o'clock since the first break," said Max May, vice president of the Guaranty Trust company, who is in charge of that bank's foreign department. Cable boys raced in and out of his office and clerks hurled foreign drafts galore on his desk as he explained what 'demand sterling, 4.78 1-8" meant.

"It is simply a case of supply and demand," he said. "The balance of trade is all on our side now. We are exporting to Europe and importing only a little. There is more foreign exchange than demand for foreign exchange, and the European nations are holding on to their gold. We must take their paper."

To put it more plainly, a pound check, once worth $4.86 in American money, was worth, on the day the market slumped, only $4.78.

"No one can tell how long the condition will last," said May. "American exporters stand to lose large sums of money, if they agreed to accept pounds for their goods."

Other men in Wall street declared, however, that the "dollar exchange," instead of "sterling," is becoming more generally in use, and that many big concerns insisted on the former when they began to realize that big business might mean too much business unless payments were made in gold.

Exporters who billed their shipments as payable in dollars will reap big profits if they are able to hold their British and other foreign paper until the market rises again. The receiver of American goods must pay the premium of exchange, in this case, which means an additional profit of about one per cent to the exporters.

But the business interests of Great Britain, buyers of American goods in huge quantities, are gradually letting loose of their gold. They find themselves in the position of the man who is overdrawn at his bank and has to pay a premium to get money. Consequently, there were a few big gold shipments to America when the first slump came in the exchange market, and British gold was deposited in American banks to meet the bills of exchange.

And a sovereign that clinks and shines like an American five dollar gold piece, is worth as much as it ever was before.

Some of the bankers, including May, believed that Germany's submarine blockade is proved a lasting barrier to trade, would bring the rate of exchange back to normal again. They figured that American business men then would be glad to get British paper, or any other kind of paper for their products, and, needing the business, wouldn't worry whether a pound was worth four dollars and eighty-six cents or four seventy-five.

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CHURCH SOCIETY TO AID MEMBERS

German Lutheran Congregation at Chaseburg Forms Aid Society to Benefit Members in Need

CHASEBURG, Wis., March 1.—(Special)—At a meeting of the members of the German Lutheran church Thursday evening, an aid association was organized. Members will be admitted only from the congregation and these will receive a benefit sum in case of injury as will their relatives in case of death.

The following officers were chosen: President, John Hellwig; vice-president, A. J. Grosskopf; secretary, H. W. Schallert; treasurer, William Sieger.

A committee consisting of W. Schuster, Gus Schuster and Geo. Carson were also appointed to meet with the officers from time to time.

Y. P. S. Meets

The Y. P. S. met Thursday evening at the Harry Hoyt home. Various games were indulged in during the evening after which lunch was served. Nearly all of the members were present.

Personals

Roy Clawson transacted business in La Crosse Thursday.

Frank R. Misna and wife left Thursday for Cashton for a few days' visit with relatives.

Joseph Hohlfeldt and wife are spending the week at Cashton, the guests of relatives.

Miss Mildred Gardner was a La Crosse visitor Thursday.

William Schwake and family spent Thursday at Stoddard where they were the guests of relatives.

John Hellwig and wife returned on Thursday from a few days' visit with relatives in Stoddard.

Miss Esther Oehler and Gertrude Hosmer of La Crosse are spending a few days at the Oehler home.

John Martine transacted business in La Crosse Thursday.

Mrs. Louis Carson returned Thursday from a several days visit with relatives in La Crosse.

Keep the Children Bright and Happy

Happy youngsters must be healthy. The digestive organs of children get out of order as readily as do those of their elders, and the result is equally distressing. When the bowels are clogged with an accumulation of refuse from the stomach the child naturally becomes cross and fretful from the discomfort, and is often punished for temper when medical attention is really what is needed.

The next time your child is cross and unhappy, without apparent reason, try giving it a mild laxative. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is a mild, pleasant tasting combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin, and is especially recommended for children because of its freedom from all opiate or narcotic drugs and its gentle action. It is sold in drug stores everywhere. A free trial bottle can be obtained by writing to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 452 Washington St., Monticello, Ills.

EXPLOSIONS IMPERIL FIREMEN

CHICAGO, March 1.—Firemen, battling with flames swept before a high wind, at the varnish manufacturing establishment of Adams & Kelting, today were endangered by a series of chemical explosions that aided in wrecking the plant. Police suspect incendiaries.

HAVE DARK HAIR AND LOOK YOUNG

Nobody can Tell when you Darken Gray, Faded Hair with Sage Tea.

Grandmother kept her hair beautifully darkened, glossy and abundant with a brew of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Whenever her hair fell out or took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect. By asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe, ready to use, for about 50 cents. This simple mixture can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair and is splendid for dandruff, dry, itchy scalp and falling hair.

A well-known down druggist says everybody uses Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur, because it darkens so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied—it's so easy to use, too. You simply dampen a comb or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, it is restored to its natural color and looks glossy, soft and abundant.

COLORADO RATES PROBED BY BOARD

DENVER, March 1.—The Colorado public utilities commission today opened an investigation in the passenger rates of all railroads operating in the state. Representatives of 28 different roads appeared in answer to subpoenas issued by the commission.

The decision to make the investigation, which is expected to result in many substantial rate reductions, followed the receipt of complaints from various parts of the state. There is absolutely no conformity in rates, the commission declares. Fares vary from three cents a mile to as high as 11 cents a mile on some of the mountain roads.

A state-wide investigation into the rates charged for carrying coal by the railroads is planned by the commission to start March 15.

The principal roads affected by the investigation starting today are:

The Santa Fe, Burlington, Colorado & Southern, Rock Island, Colorado Midland, Denver & Rio Grande, Denver & Salt Lake, Great Western, Missouri Pacific and Union Pacific, as well as eighteen subsidiary branch and local lines.

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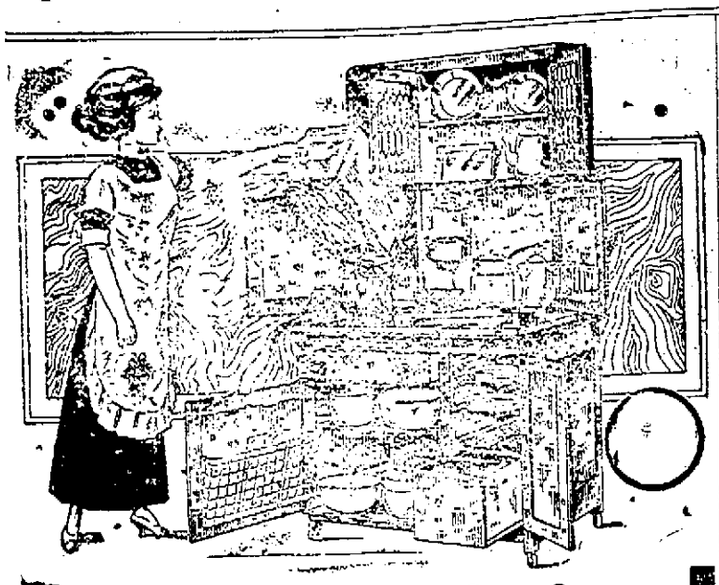
WASHINGTON, March 1.—Favorable reports on all of the trade commission nominees, except George Rublee of New Hampshire, were made by the special sub-committee appointed to investigate them this afternoon. A further hearing on the qualifications of Rublee will be held on Monday.

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BRINGING UP FATHER

By GEORGE McMANUS

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WINNING STRAITS PUT GUESSERS HERE IN TROUBLE

American Wheat Speculators Face Huge Drop in Market of Dardanelles Are Opened

WASHINGTON, March 1.—American wheat speculators are on the edge of a volcano. Agricultural experts here declare that maintenance of present prices depends entirely on the allies' operations against the Dardanelles. If the strait is forced the prices of all grains, especially wheat, will drop. If the Turko-German forces are able to prevent the opening of the Black sea to Russian commerce, two dollar wheat will come before the summer is more than half advanced.

In anticipation of the allied fleet forcing its way through the Dardanelles, Russian exporters have been gathering together a great fleet of merchant vessels at Russian Black sea ports and loading them with wheat. Much of this grain is already pledged with British merchants for cash advanced to Russian connections. And, according to the latest advices reaching here, England and France have agreed to purchase, and immediately pay in gold, for all wheat that Russia can spare.

Experts here estimate that Russian exporters now have between 125,000,000 and 175,000,000 bushels of rye and wheat ready for immediate export at various lack sea points. Only a negligible quantity was exported of last summer's crop and the nation's entire reserve supply can be thrown on the European markets within thirty days after the lack sea is opened.

Russia, more than any other of the allies, with the possible exception of Belgium, needs money. England has had to finance the government expenditures and the government itself has been unable to furnish much relief to Russian financiers because of the low ebb of the nation's finances, due to the prohibition of the sale of vodka, the government's chief source of revenue. It is believed here that it is because of realization of this fact that the Franco-English fleet is battering the gates of Constantinpole and the Black sea. If the gateway is opened, food prices in France and England will be reduced twenty-five per cent in grain and speculators in the United States will stand to lose considerable sums through the crumbling of prices here.

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RUSS ARMY AGAIN ON OFFENSIVE IN POLISH TERRITORY

Germans Admit Violent Attacks Are in Progress but Claim All Are Repulsed

SLAVS CLAIM TO HOLD PRZASNYSZ

Asserted by Petrograd That Assailants Were Driven Back by Machine Guns

BERLIN, via Wireless to London, March 1.—New Russian forces have appeared along the Przasnysz-Lomza-Augustof battle front in Poland, and have begun a gentral offensive movement against Von Hindenburg's armies, it was officially admitted today.

Northwest of Lomza, the Slavs in great numbers have begun a series of violent attacks on the village of Skroda, south of Kolno. The Germans have repulsed several of these onslaughts and have taken 1,100 prisoners, but the enemy continue desperate charges.

Fight in Swamps

Northwest of Grodno, another large body of Russians is battling with the Germans in the swamps, ten miles east of Augustof. The enemy is also on the offensive in the Przasnysz region. Dispatches from the front expressed the belief that the series of attacks by the Russians was an attempt to halt further advances by the Germans, rather than a serious attempt to press Von Hindenburg back to the frontier.

In the western battle theater, the fighting around Verdun and near Perthes continues. For the seventh successive day the French have assaulted the German positions near Perthes. The crown prince's army is assaulting the French positions north of Verdun.

Slavs Claim Successes

PETROGRAD, Feb. 27.—Repulse of the Germans at Przasnysz, and defeat of a new Austrian movement toward Lemberg, were claimed in dispatches received here today. At Przasynsz the Germans threw several regiments into the attack. They swarmed toward the town, in the face of a hot machine fire, suffering enormous losses.

Russian heavy artillery caused still heavier casualties. It was admitted that the czar's troops also lost heavily.

Around Stanislau, the Austrians whose advance northward toward Halitz was halted by the Russians, attempted a new offensive west of Stanislau. Their object was to cut the line of communication of the Russian army operating south of Tuchla, and itself threatening to cut the Austrians off from the railroad leading to Munkacs and to advance on Lemburg, over the Stanislau-Lemberg railway. They were repulsed with heavy loss.

Germans Shell Ossowetz

The Germans have resumed the shelling of Ossowetz, the Polish fortress defending the Warsaw-Petrograd railway.

They have brought up heavier artillery and are making preparations for an extended siege. Along the Bobr and Narew, repeated German efforts to advance have been beaten off.

The Russians are on the offensive in Poland not only around Przasnysz both on both banks of the Vistula. The Russian lines near Bolimow are being slowly advanced.

$1 Day

AT NELS THOMPSON

Three 50c TIES for	$1.00
Five pairs 25c SOX	$1.00
Three 50c SHIRTS	$1.00
One lot $2.50 and $3.00 HATS	$1.00
$1.50 SHIRTS at	$1.00
$1.50 GLOVES	$1.00
One lot of $3 and $4 OXFORD SHOES	$1.00
One of Boys' Double Breasted SUITS	$1.00

AND

25% OFF ON ALL SUITS AND OVERCOATS for THAT DAY

NELS THOMPSON

133 South Fourth Street

CHORAL CLUB TO REHEARSE TONIGHT

Good Attendance Expected at Second Meeting of Musical Organization

The La Crosse Choral club will hold its second rehearsal-meeting tonight at the W. B. U. hall. The membership committee has been busy telephoning to the various singers and the indications are that the attendance will be good. The committee urges all singers who desire to affillate themselves with this splendid organization to come tonight. The plan is to organize with a membership of 150 to 200, and a chorus of this size, working in connection with the Philharmonic club, will be wonderfully effective in raising the musical status of La Crosse.

H. F. A. BANDMANN DIES

SHEBOYGAN, Wis., March 1.—Henry Frederick Adolph Bandmann one of the best known German-American citizens of the state, died today after a brief illness. He was president of the Wisconsin Kriegerbund, the organization which has charge of raising the fund for orphans and widows of German soldiers.

U. S. JESUIT ASSISTANCY

ROME, March 1.—The United States was today created an independent Jesuit assistancy under Father Thomas Gannon, formerly head of the eastern province of the United States.

DESTROYERS CONVOY U. S. LINER IN ZONE

American Ship Brings 220 Passengers to New York After Dash from Liverpool

NEW YORK, March 1.—The American liner New York, carrying 220 passengers, glided into port here today, after a sucessful passage of the new submarine war zone around the British isles.

With four torpedo boats as convoys, she slipped out of Liverpool and dashed, with engine going at top speed, toward the open sea. Lifeboats were swung from their davits ready for instant use. After she cleared the war zone, the torpedo boats returned.

An unidentified steamship with all propeller blades missing, is drifting near the middle of the Atlantic, according to the log of the New York. It is thought to be the Tritonian, but is unknown here. All aboard are safe, according to the wireless received by the New York.

DENY INDICEMENTS

NEW YORK, March 1.—Eight directors of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, including Lewis Cass Ledyard, today entered pleas of not guilty to superseding indictments, charging them with violation of the Sherman law. They pleaded before Judge Neterer, in federal district court.

LOWELL HAS BAD FIRE

LOWELL, Mass., March 1.—Fire this afternoon destroyed Memorial hall, one of the finest libraries in this section, and seriously threatened the city hall and entire business section.

The candidate who gets the vote of the fair sex ought to receive a handsome majority.

BARRE MILLS MAN KILLED BY FLAMES WHEN HOME BURNS

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the fire was yhen he visited Engebretson, Evenson stayed there most of the morning, returning to his home about the time the woodcutters left. One of the woodcutters told Engebretson that Evenson said 'Something is going to happen here pretty soon."

When neighbors arrived, Evenson was carrying out his furniture and sobbing, "My house is going to burn to the ground," he is said to have moaned. His efforts were frantic to get all the furniture out of the building. The neighbors helped, and nearly everything was out, when Evenson disappeared from the small group of rescuers. They dropped the rescue work, and searched for Evenson. A fence post was used in breaking in the cellar door. They did not see Evenson's body lying on the floor they said this morning, although it was discovered there today.

Fire Starts in Kitchen

The supposition is that when Evenson returned from his visit with the Engebretson family, he started a fire in the kitchen range, and went to sleep. It was in the kitchen that the fire is supposed to have had its origin.

Woodcutters had told persons living nearby that Evenson had been in the habit of keeping hot fires in the range, and that they considered him dangerous.

Accident Theory Advanced

Above the corner of the basement where the body was found, was a clothes closet. Some ofe or the belief that Evenson tried to get some of his clothes out of the house and that the floor gave way. The flooring was very thick, and the fact that the fire had not reached that part of the building weakens this theory. Several minutes after Evenson disappeared, his friends went through this room, and at the time it was not burning. The house was a large one, and the fire at first was confined to the rear part.

When George Simon, another neighbor, arrived, Evensin was leaning against the house sobbing. He tried to learn how the fire started, but Evenson seemed to be unable to talk.

The neighbors who arrived on the scene the earliest this morning said they were "suspicious" of the affair, but could not give definite reasons for their suspicions.

Drank Liquor Through Tube

For years Evenson presented the contradiction of a habitual drunkard, who never tasted liquor. He took it through the silver tube, and although he never smacked his lips that he liked it was evidenced by the hilarity with which he celebrated those occasions upon which he flushed his plumbing with wine when it was red.

Twenty years ago Evenson tried to kill his aged mother and take his own life. He shot the woman and cut his own throat. His mother survived, and Evenson was arrested. The case brought forth one of the best known criminal troals in La Crosse county. Evenson was finally acquitted on an insanity plea and sent to Mendota. He did not stop his drinking when he returned from the insane asylum, and was again sent there. An effort was being made at this time to return him to Mendota.

Widow Holds Estate

Some months ago Evenson's wife caught him in a compromising position, which may have been the remote couse of his death today. During the quarrel which followed, Evenson, to mollify his wife, turned over his $10,000 form to her, which she now holds. She threatened to have him arrested, he is said to have told friends. A lawsuit was filed three weeks ago, in which Evenson would have tried to get the property back, but his death today ended the controversy.

Wants County to Bury Him

Retaliating for the property suit, Mrs. Evenson had started divorce proceedings against her husband. Mrs. Evenson was represented by Attorney Otto Schlabach and Attorney A. C. Wolfe.

Mrs. Evenson today made a request to Coroner Tetley that the county bury Evenson. She would have nothing to do with the body, so the coroner brought it to La Crosse today. Funeral services will be held at his establishment on South Fourth street, at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Tragedy Amuses Son

The sixteen-year-old son Edmund bore an amused smile while his father's charred body was being raised from the ruins, and while Evenson's friends stood around the burned building in tears, he seemed indifferent to what was going on.

Although Evenson had been a drinking man, he had scores of friends, and everyone for miles around, testified that he had led a straightforward life.

Evenson was the eleventh son of parents who were pioneers of Greenfield township. He has always lived on the farm near Barre Mills.

District Attorney Otto Schlabach left at 3 o'clock this afternoon for the scene of the fire.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to all friends for the kindness and sympathy shown us during our late bereavement, the lose of our loving mother and daughter. Especially do we thank the Rev. J. H. Klaus.

MRS. L. KINDER.
MRS. L. KLAUS and Family.
MRS. M. STENDENT, mother.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and gratitude to the friends for their kindness and sympathy during the illness and death of our beloved son and brother.

MR. AND MRS. ANTON PETERSON AND FAMILY.

INDIAN "Y" WORKER HERE

The Christian work in India is progressing at a rapid rate was the statement of H. M. White before the Men's Bible Study club of the First Baptist church yesterday morning. Mr. White is secretary of the Y. M. C. A. of Madras, India. He speaks at Eau Claire today.

AMERICAN LINER SAFE

LIVERPOOL, March 1.—The American liner St. Louis arrived here today with 200 passengers. She reported her trip from New York was without incident.

Week Financial

BANK STATEMENT

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—The weekly bank statement today showed the following changes:

Surplus, decreased $2,412,750.
Loans, increased $10,566,000.
Resedve in own vaults, decreased $1,682,000.
Reserve in federal reserve banks, increased $1,270,000.
Net demand deposits, increased $13,650,000.
Reserve in other depositories, increased $217,000.
Circulation, decreased $297,000.
Aggregate reserves, $509,563,000.

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NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—Perhaps because of the possibility that Great Britain's reply to our government's "war zone" note might be published over Sunday, the stock exchange elected today to do nothing. Business was practically at a standstill and changes in price were confined to trifling fractions. In general, the market ended about where it stood at the closing yesterday. There was little news on today's market. Cotton exports for the week, like wheat exports, show very considerable reductions from other recent weeks. This may in part be due to the German submarines and mines. But the week's shipment of both commodities has none the less been far above the corresponding period last year.

The almost bewildering series of influences and counter-influences, which have affected this week's financial situation, has made it less easy than usual to say what the position actually was.

The week began with German submarine launching torpedoes at merchant vessels in a manner that certainly did not remove uneasiness over a similar fate for an American ship. But this has not happened. The destruction of our merchant ships by running on North sea mines no doubt raised a question as to the right or wrong of planting these infernal machines in the open sea, but it gave no ground for alleging deliberate intention.

Absence of any submarine attack on our merchant ships gave a chance for gradual reassurance.

This week's renewed decline in sterling exchange to within one cent of the last week's extraordinarily low level of $4.87¼, directs attention to the reports of other gold import engagements from Ottawa.

NIGHT OF REVELRY; FIGHT IN SALOON; POLICE AUTO—JAIL

"Happy" Green Breaks the Speed Regulations and Friends Break Fixtures; Arrests Follow

Silas "Happy" Green, the man who was awarded $10,000 a few years ago for the loss of both legs in a railroad wreck, burned a little more of his money up last night.

Green, Frank Brown, George Frohock, John Summers, John Gage and John "Red" Cook, all of North La Crosse, are today confined at the county jail, awaiting hearings on charges of wrecking interior furnishings of Cushner's saloon at French Island, and of "beating up" A. R. Fogel and H. Krueger.

The row started about midnight in John Elsen's saloon. The men are said to have suddenly selected Fogel and Krueger as punching bags and started for them. The two men fled and took refuge at the Cushner place where the six followed with their machine.

Police Chase Fighters

Cushner called Sheriff George J. Ritter here, and Ritter asked the assistance of the police. When the police auto, accompanied by the sheriff, arrived at the Cushner resort, the six men were just leaving. They were in a car owned by Green, who drove the car.

One of the hardest automobile chases in the history of the county followed. While the "bandit" automobile became stalled on a hill near Holmen, the police automobile was stopped with a flat tire. In all, forty miles was covered during the chase.

The police car finally started with the flat tire, Patrolman Rick risking accident in the successful endeavor to catch the six men.

The runaway car was overtaken near Holmen, a long distance off the road.

Silas Green, commonly termed "Happy" Green, is the only man in La Crosse ever fined $100 and costs for speeding. He beat all records again last night. Attorney F. H. Hartwell will defend the six men.

Man's will is a weak thing when a woman gets busy with it.

Too Late to Classify

FOR SALE—Picture theaters, At all prices from $500 up. Some fine bargains if taken quick. Write Box 615, La Crosse, Wis. 3 1 5

An Open Letter To Users of Morphine, Cocaine or Opium Derivatives

THE Federal law restricting the sale of Morphine, Heroin, Codeine and all derivatives of Opium and Cocaine goes into effect March 1, 1915. After that date none of these "drugs" can be obtained except through physicians' prescriptions and physicians must make strict accounting to the Government on every prescription of this nature. It will be extremely difficult if not impossible for a drug user to obtain any of the drugs restricted under this law.

Persons addicted to the use of these drugs can obtain quick and permanent relief at the Keeley Institute, 629 South Tenth Street, Minneapolis, Minnesota. The treatment is not hard to undergo. It builds up the system, restores normal conditions and removes the necessity for the use of the drugs.

Correspondence will be kept strictly confidential. All matter mailed from the Institute in response to inquiries will be inclosed in plain wrappers. Full information free.

The U. S. Government Restricts Sale of These "Drugs" After Feb. 28, 1915

BUSY

My newspaper advertising, coupled with careful and conscientious methods, brought such a volume of work from former as well as many new patrons, that I am forced to temporarily discontinue my announcements.

The enlargement of my dental offices within a few days will give ample room for additional facilities.

I will continue to serve you, as heretofore, to the best of my ability.

Our Guarantee Protects You

Lawrence Dental Co.

CUT RATE DENTISTS

Fourth and Main. Over Hebbard's

RUNAWAY ENGINE SMASHES ANOTHER

One Killed and Ten Hurt When Switch Engine Gets Away from Fireman at Cedar Rapids

CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa, March 1.—One man was killed and ten injured when a runaway Rock Island switch engine struck the Northwestern fast mail at a street crossing in this city early today. The switch engine was running forty miles an hour. H. M. Titsel, Cedar Rapids, Rock Island engineer, was killed. The Rock Island engine was switching near the St. Clair packing plant when something went wrong and Engineer Titzel went on the running board to investigate, telling Fireman Viogan to run the engine. Viogan lost control of it, and it started down the track 30 miles an hour. Titzel tried to stop the train but failed, and went to his death when the train struck the Northwestern fast mail at the first street crossing.

CATTLE STORY DENIED

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Agriculture department officials today denied a story that "feeders" who fatten cattle for market, have decided to cease purchasing from big cattle raisers. On the contrary, the department experts said, they are buying unborn Texas calves at $35 per head, and except for the fact that foot and mouth disease quarantines have reduced the cattle supply, no reasons exist why they should not purchase from any available source.

M'WILLIAMS' SON DIES

James, aged one year and eleven months, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. McWilliams, 322 South Fourth street died Saturday afternoon at a local hospital of typhoid fever after an illness of sevtral months. The body was taken to Evanston, Ill., Saturday. Interment was made there today.

What the Dollar Day Sale means with us

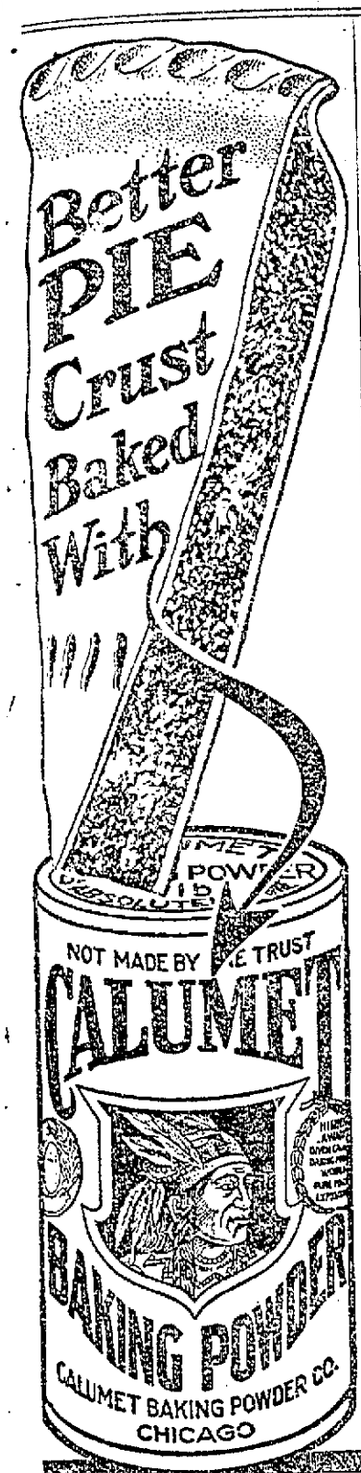
We have combinations that sell for one dollar. Here are two of many:

Two 20c Milk Pans	40c
One 10c Mixing Bowl	10c
One Aluminum Sauce Pan	60c
1 Aluminum Fry Pan	50c
	$1.00

One white, blue and white Bowl	10c
One white, blue and white Bowl	15c
One white, blue and white Bowl	20c
One white, blue and white Bowl	25c
One white, blue and white Bowl	50c
	$1.00

A $1.40 Aluminum Sauce Pan $1.00

JOSTEN Hardware Co.



Better cookies, cake and biscuits, too. All as light, fluffy, tender and delicious as mother used to bake. And just as wholesome. For purer Baking Powder than Calumet cannot be had at *any price*.

Ask your grocer.

RECEIVED HIGHEST AWARDS
World's Pure Food Exposition, Chicago, Ill.
Paris Exposition, France, March, 1912

MOTHERS' PENSION MEASURE NOW A LAW IN WYOMING

CHEYENNE, Wyo., March 1.—Wyoming mothers with children under 14 years of age, unable to obtain employment permitting them to spend a reasonable part of their time at home, will hereafter be pensioned by the state.

Governor Kendrick has signed the bill passed by the legislature providing a pension of $20 a month. Those with more than one child may receive $20 a month for the first child and $10 a month for each additional child.

The man who is quick to wreth usually has a difficult time getting anywhere.

CHILD'S TONGUE BECOMES COATED IF CONSTIPATED

When cross, feverish and sick give "California Syrup of Figs"

Children love this "fruit laxative," and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels so nicely.

A child simply will not stop playing to empty the bowels, and the result is, they become tightly clogged with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sours, then your little one becomes cross, half-sick, feverish, don't eat, sleep or act naturally, breath is bad, system full of cold, has sore throat, stomach-ache or diarrhoea. Listen, Mother! See if tongue is coated, then give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the system, and you have a well, playful child again.

Millions of mothers give "California Syrup of Figs" because it is perfectly harmless; children love it, and it never fails to act on the stomach, liver and bowels.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

WIFE OF ALLEGED SPY THREATENED

Mrs. Richard Stegler Turns Warning to Be Silent Over to the U. S. Authorities

STEGLER TELLS WHAT PLANS WERE

Instructions Were to Visit Shipyards in Belfast and Examine Liverpool Harbor

NEW YORK, March 1.—A federal grand jury probe today is expected to follow the sending of a threatening letter to Mrs. Richard Stegler, wife of the German prisoner here, in the passport fraud case. The letter, which warned Mrs. Stegler that if she talked any more concerning her husband's arrest, harm would befall her, was turned over to federal officers.

Warned Over 'Phone

In addition to the letter, Mrs. Stegler declared she had received several telephone calls since her husband's arrest, warning her to "keep her mouth shut."

Captain Boy-Ed, the German naval attache named by Stegler as the head of the German spy system in this country, today refused to discuss the hurried visit of the German ambassador, Count von Bernstorff, to New York yesterday.

"Suffice it to say," he declared, "that his visit had nothing to do with this alleged passport scandal."

Stegler today told the plans which he declares were made for him by Captain Boy-Ed.

To Inspect Shipyards

"I first was to go to Belfast, Ireland," he said, "and to inspect the shipyards there. A number of merchant vessels were reported being paintew and rebuilt there to resemblo British battleships, and were to be used in a scheme to block the mouths of the Elbe and Weser rivers, in Germany. I was directed to find out about it.

"Later I was to go to Liveprool and investigate conditions there and see what chance there would be for a submarine raid on the ships in Liverpool harbor."

Spy's Widow Gets Indemnity

Stegler also declared that Mrs. Lody, widow of Carl Hans Lody, who executed in the tower of Lindon as a German spy, was given $15,000 by the German government.

CAN'T CELEBRATE—HARDY IS PEEVED AT OUR CALENDAR

While being married in a leap-year may have its advantages to the "woman" in the case, it has deprived Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Dennison, 1237 Farnam street, of eighteen wedding anniversaries.

Mr. Dennison, who has been married fifty-one years today, will not disclose the truth of whether his "spouse" proposed, but he bemoans the date because of the ban which it carries.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennison were married February 29, 1864. Only once in four years can they celebrate their anniversary.

Next year they plan to make up for the three years deprived them, with a celebration which will outdo any in the past.

ROAD PAYS DIVIDENDS

MONEREAL, March 1.—The Canadian Pacific will pay its quarterly dividends of 2½ per cent to stockholders of record today.

Doings of Local People at "U"

Otto Endres of La Crosse, sophomore student at the University of Wisconsin, won first place in the pole vault in the annual soph-fresh indoor meet at the gymnasium annex. The bar stood at 10 feet 6 inches. The meet was won by the sophomores by a comfortable margin.

Raymond Keeler of La Crosse, captain of last year's varsity football team at the University of Wisconsin, was one of the guests of honor at the annual sophomore prom held recently. Irving M. Tuteur of La Crosse was chairman of the publicity and advertising committee for the function.

John E. McConnell of La Crosse attended a regular meeting of the board of visitors of the University of Wisconsin recently. President C. R. Van Hise entertained the members of the board at a formal dinner.

Mrs. Josephine Jones, dean of women at the La Crosse state normal school attended the annual vocational conference for women and the conference of deans of women at the University of Wisconsin this month.

Raymond Keeler of La Crosse was one of the three speakers who assailed the Heim bill, which would deprive students of the right to vote in Madison, at a mass meeting of University of Wisconsin students held at the Y. M. C. A. to protest against the measure. Mr. Keeler will undoubtedly be one of a committee to be appointed by the students to appear in opposition to the bill when it comes up for a hearing before the legislative committee.

Miss Helen Ulrich of La Crosse, senior in the college of letters and science at the University of Wisconsin, has been selected as a member of the girls' basketball team representing her class

THE CONTINENTAL

GREAT DOLLAR DAY



SPECIALS

Wednesday, March 3rd

will mark the inauguration of La Crosse's Greatest Advertising Event—

The 1st semi-annual

DOLLAR DAY SALES

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$1.00
For Men's Fancy pleated bosom, cuff attached, percale shirts. Regular selling price $1.50.

$1.00
For Boys' Shawl Collar Sweater Coats. Regular selling price $1.50.

$1.00
For Boys' Three Piece Knee Pants Suits. Regular selling price $3.00 and over.

$1.00
For any of our regular $1.50 Silk Four-in-hands.

$1.00
For Boys' Blue Serge Knicker Pants. Regular selling price $1.25. Sizes 8 to 16.

$1.00
For Men's Cassimere Work Pants. Regular selling price $1.50.

$1.00
For Little Fellows' Reefers. Worth double and more.

5 Pair for $1
Of any of our regular 25c Socks in the store.

$1.00
For Men's Fancy Golf and Auto Caps. Regular selling price $1.50.

$1.00
For any Child's $1.50 Sweater in the store.

$1.00
For any Man's $1.50 or Boy's Flannel Shirt. All colors.

$1.00
For any Boys' $1.50 Flannel Blouse Waist. All colors.

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HART, SCHAFFNER & MARX
Good Clothes

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Henry N. Boehm, Manager.

UNION MADE
Mallory Hats
Cravenetted (Rainproof)
The best ever for
$3.00

LA CROSSE'S GREATEST CLOTHING STORE

VOTING BY MAIL MAY BE LEGALIZED BY LEGISLATURE

Two Bills to Permit Students and Teachers to Cast Ballots in Home Communities Up

MADISON, Wis., March 7.—(Special.)—The plan of voting by mail, which attracted so much of the attention of the last legislature, has been presented in the assembly for consideration. Two bills have been offered both of which are modeled closely after the Minnesota law. One is introduced by Assemblyman John B. Heim of Madison and the other by Assemblyman Carl Pieper of Dunn county. Assemblyman Heim offered the bill so that students at the different educational institutions might mail their ballot back home to be recorded on election day.

The senate committee on judiciary has fixed March 10 as the date when the Skogmo resolution for the calling of a constitutional convention will be considered. Assemblyman Pieper announced today that he would make a fight to have his eugenics bill passed over the unfavorable committee report. The Pieper bill provided that the provision of the eugenic law requiring a medical test be repealed and that in its place the contracting parties be required to sign a statement in which they declare that to the best of their knowledge they were not suffering from a communicable disease.

LEAGUE CUTS SALARIES

NEW YORK, March 1.—The international league which met today and cut the salaries because of the hard times.

BAUCH ACCUSED BY AGED SPOUSE

Fred Bauch, 60, was arraigned in county court today on charges of having assaulted his aged wife, and threatened to kill her. The hearings were postponed until 2 o'clock Monday afternoon because Bauch was found to be intoxicated.

A RAW, SORE THROAT

Eases Quickly When You Apply a Little Musterole

And MUSTEROLE won't blister like the old-fashioned mustard-plaster. Just spread it on with your fingers. It penetrates to the sore spot with a gentle tingle, loosens the congestion and draws out all soreness and pain.

MUSTEROLE is a clean, white ointment made with oil of mustard. There's nothing like it for quick relief for Sore Throat, Bronchitis, Tonsilitis, Croup, Stiff Neck, Asthma, Neuralgia, Headache, Congestion, Pleurisy, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Pains and Aches of the Back or Joints, Sprains, Sore Muscles, Bruises, Chilblains, Frosted Feet, Colds on the Chest (it often prevents pneumonia). Nothing like MUSTEROLE for croupy children.

At your druggist's, in 25c and 50c jars, and a special large hospital size for $2.50.

Be sure you get the genuine MUSTEROLE. Refuse imitations—get what you ask for. The Musterole Company, Cleveland, Ohio.

MUSTEROLE
WILL NOT BLISTER

DIRECTOR PICKS UP FACTS AT PROBE

Admits He Learned More of Railroad's Affairs at U. U. Inquiry Than in 18 Years as Director

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Ogden Mills, Rock Island director since 1897, admitted on the stand before the interstate commerce commission today that he had learned more about the affairs of the road while listening to other witnesses at the investigation than during all his years of service as a director.

Mills said he was not present at the meeting when 8,800 shares of stock were presented to officials and that he got none of the stock. He knew nothing of the alleged $50,000 gift to G. H. Warren and the $100,000 gift to R. A. Jackson and other gifts, he said.

"I certainly would object if funds were squandered," he said and asked why he did not investigate the "gifts," he said they had not been brought to his knowledge.

ALLEGED PLOT NOT PROVEN

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas, March 1.—The alleged conspiracy of Mexicans to kill all white males over 16 years of age in the southwestern states and set up a new white republic, was not proved in a preliminary hearing today of Antonio Gonzales, who was charged with being the ring leader in the plot. Gonzales was released and the case was dismissed. An alleged accomplice, to be given a hearing later, probably will be released also. A circular printed in Spanish was shown, however, calling for the uprising last Monday. A United States commissioner heard the case here.

AIRMEN SCOUT FOR SUBMARINE QUARRY

LONDON, March 1.—German strategy has devised a new use for aircraft. To aid the submarines in their attacks upon British merchantmen and warcraft, the Germans have ordered taubes and hydroplanes to patrol English coast waters, and hunt out enemy vessels. This fact was learned today when two German aviators were found clinging to the wreckage of a hydro-aeroplane off Lowestoft, a Suffolk county seaport, 110 miles northeast of London. The airmen, half dead from exposure, when they regained consciousness, said they had been sent from the Belgian coast with instructions to watch for British ships in the North sea and signal their presence to a squadron of submarines.

Other aviators, it is known, are performing a similar service in the English channel.

YANKEES IN TRAINING

SAVANNAH, Ga., March 1.—The New York Americans reported at their training camp here today.

PASSENGERS AVOID THE LUSITANIA

NEW YORK, March 1.—With "Old Glory" painted on her bow and the words American line in large letters on both sides of her hull, the steamer St. Paul sailed from here today for Liverpool. The Lusitania also sails today, but the passenger list on the St. Paul was by far the largest, as the Lusitania is under British registry.

BOY BURGLARS HELD

RACINE, Wis., March 1.—Ernest Medworth and John Meier, boy burglars from Chicago, each fifteen years old, are in jail here charged with robbing the homes of Dr. James Henderson and Fred Cornell in broad daylight.

CALOMEL SALIVATES

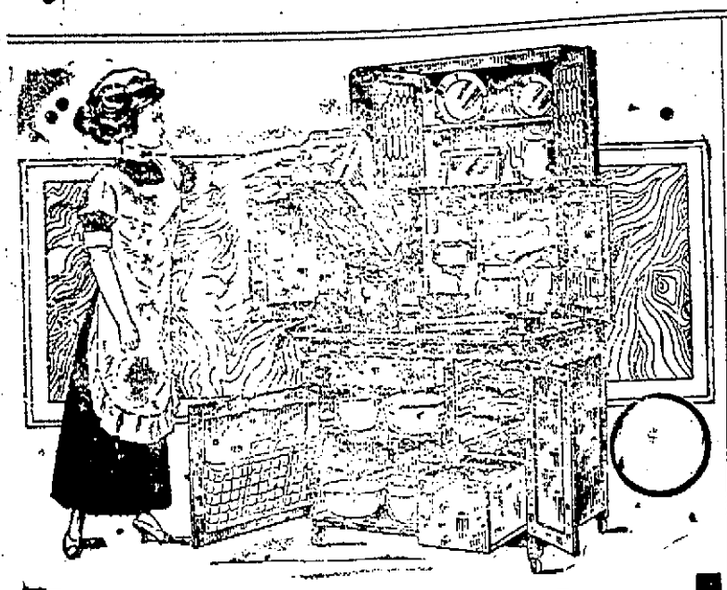
Calomel makes you sick and you lose a day's work. Calomel is a nasty, dangerous chemical. To liven your sluggish liver and bowels when constipated, headachy, bilious, just get a 10-cent box of harmless Cascarets. They work while you sleep, don't gripe, sicken or salivate.

TYPEWRITERS

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$1 puts it in your home

Every housewife in town can now afford a Napanee Kitchen Cabinet becauese of the easy way we make it for her to own one.

For $1.00 we will place a Napanee in your kitchen and allow you to pay for it in such tiny sums that you will never miss the money—just a dollar a week until all is paid. But the comfort and pleasure you will derive from the Napanee Cabinet will be worth many times its cost. Think of having your kitchen needs at your finger tips. The Napanee is a pantry, worktable and cupboard all in one. Set it close to range and sink and see what countless steps you save.

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Visit this store now—examine the Napanee—the modern Kitchen Cabinet with the latest ideas and ask us to send you one home—for $1.00 down.

Tillman Bros.

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WINNING STRAITS PUT GUESSERS HERE IN TROUBLE

American Wheat Speculators Face Huge Drop in Market of Dardanelles Are Opened

WASHINGTON, March 1.—American wheat speculators are on the edge of a volcano. Agricultural experts here declare that maintenance of present prices depends entirely on the allies' operations against the Dardanelles. If the strait is forced the prices of all grains, especially wheat, will drop. If the Turko-German forces are able to prevent the opening of the Black sea to Russian commerce, two dollar wheat will come before the summer is more than half advanced.

In anticipation of the allied fleet forcing its way through the Dardanelles, Russian exporters have been gathering together a great fleet of merchant vessels at Russian Black sea ports and loading them with wheat. Much of this grain is already pledged with British merchants for cash advanced to Russian connections. And, according to the latest advices reaching here, England and France have agreed to purchase, and immediately pay in gold, for all wheat that Russia can spare.

Experts here estimate that Russian exporters now have between 125,000,000 and 175,000,000 bushels of rye and wheat ready for immediate export at various lack sea points. Only a negligible quantity was exported of last summer's crop and the nation's entire reserve supply can be thrown on the European markets within thirty days after the lack sea is opened.

Russia, more than any other of the allies, with the possible exception of Belgium, needs money. England has had to finance the government expenditures and the government itself has been unable to furnish much relief to Russian financiers because of the low ebb of the nation's finances, due to the prohibition of the sale of vodka, the government's chief source of revenue. It is believed here that it is because of realization of this fact that the Franco-English fleet is battering the gates of Constantinpole and the Black sea. If the gateway is opened, food prices in France and England will be reduced twenty-five per cent in grain and speculators in the United States will stand to lose considerable sums through the crumbling of prices here.

Buy You Shoes Upstairs and Save Money

All sizes and widths carried in stock. Latest spring styles for the whole family.

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"It's a Long, Long Way to Tipperary"

Three reel Pathe war special

Coming to THE BIJOU Wednesday Only

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MONDAY AND TUESDAY

1. Maurice Costello in "The Blood Ruby." Two parts.
2. "Peddler's Bag."
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THE STAR

All Seats 5c

Fine Four Reel Show. Good Music. Change every day. Packed Saturday and yesterday. There's a Reason. Be on time.

BARRE MILLS MAN KILLED BY FLAMES WHEN HOME BURNS

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the fire was when he visited Engebretson. Evenson stayed there most of the morning, returning to his home about the time the woodcutters left. One of the woodcutters told Engebretson that Evenson said 'Something is going to happen here pretty soon."

When neighbors arrived, Evenson was carrying out his furniture and sobbing. "My house is going to burn to the ground," he is said to have moaned. His efforts were frantic to get all the furniture out of the building. The neighbors helped, and nearly everything was out, when Evenson disappeared from the small group of rescuers. They dropped the rescue work, and searched for Evenson. A fence post was used in breaking in the cellar door. They did not see Evenson's body lying on the floor they said this morning, although it was discovered there today.

Fire Starts in Kitchen

The supposition is that when Evenson returned from his visit with the Engebretson family, he started a fire in the kitchen range, and went to sleep. It was in the kitchen that the fire is supposed to have had its origin.

Woodcutters had told persons living nearby that Evenson had been in the habit of keeping hot fires in the range, and that they considered him dangerous.

Acident Theory Advanced

Above the corner of the basement where the body was found, was a clothes closet. Some ofe or the belief that Evenson tried to get some of his clothes out of the house and that the floor gave way. The flooring was very thick, and the fact that the fire had not reached that part of the building weakens this theory. Several minutes after Evenson disappeared, his friends went through this room, and at the time it was not burning. The house was a large one, and the fire at first was confined to the rear part.

When George Simon, another neighbor, arrived, Evensin was leaning against the house sobbing. He tried to learn how the fire started, but Evenson seemed to be unable to talk.

The neighbors who arrived on the scene the earliest this morning said they were "suspicious" of the affair, but could not give definite reasons for their suspicions.

Drank Liquor Through Tube

For years Evenson presented the contradiction of a habitual drunkard, who never tasted liquor. He took it through the silver tube, and although he never smacked his lips that he liked it was evidenced by the hilarity with which he celebrated those occasions upon which he flushed his plumbing with wine when it was red.

Twenty years ago Evenson tried to kill his aged mother and take his own life. He shot the woman and cut his own throat. His mother survived, and Evenson was arrested. The case brought forth one of the best known criminal troals in La Crosse county. Evenson was finally acquitted on an insanity plea and sent to Mendota. He did not stop his drinking when he returned from the insane asylum, and was again sent there. An effort was being made at this time to return him to Mendota.

Widow Holds Estate

Some months ago Evenson's wife caught him in a compromising position, which may have been the remote couse of his death today. During the quarrel which followed, Evenson, to mollify his wife, turned over his $10,000 form to her, which she now holds. She threatened to have him arrested, he is said to have told friends. A lawsuit was filed three weeks ago, in which Evenson would have tried to get the property back, but his death today ended the controversy.

Wants County to Bury Him

Retaliating for the property suit, Mrs. Evenson had started divorce proceedings against her husband. Mrs. Evenson was represented by Attorney Otto Schlabach and Attorney A. C. Wolfe.

Mrs. Evenson today made a request to Coroner Tetley that the county bury Evenson. She would have nothing to do with the body, so the coroner brought it to La Crosse today. Funeral services will be held at his establishment on South Fourth street, at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Tragedy Amuses Son

The sixteen-year-old son Edmund bore an amused smile while his father's charred body was being raised from the ruins, and while Evenson's friends stood around the burned building in tears, he seemed indifferent to what was going on.

Although Evenson had been a drinking man, he had scores of friends, and everyone for miles around, testified that he had led a straightforward life.

Evenson was the eleventh son of parents who were pioneers of Greenfield township. He has always lived on the farm near Barre Mills.

District Attorney Otto Schlabach left at 3 o'clock this afternoon for the scene of the fire.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to all friends for the kindness and sympathy shown us during our late bereavement, the lose of our loving mother and daughter. Especially do we thank the Rev. J. H. Klaus.

MRS. L. KINDER.
MRS. L. KLAUS and Family.
MRS. M. STENDENT, mother.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and gratitude to the friends for their kindness and sympathy during the illness and death of our beloved son and brother.

MR. AND MRS. ANTON PETERSON AND FAMILY.

INDIAN "Y" WORKER HERE

The Christian work in India is progressing at a rapid rate was the statement of H. M. White before the Men's Bible Study club of the First Baptist church yesterday morning. Mr. White is secretary of the Y. M. C. A. of Madras, India. He speaks at Eau Claire today.

AMERICAN LINER SAFE

LIVERPOOL, March 1.—The American liner St. Louis arrived here today with 200 passengers. She reported her trip from New York was without incident.

BUSY

My newspaper advertising, coupled with careful and conscientious methods, brought such a volume of work from former as well as many new patrons, that I am forced to temporarily discontinue my announcements.

The enlargement of my dental offices within a few days will give ample room for additional facilities.

I will continue to serve you, as heretofore, to the best of my ability.

Our Guarantee Protects You

Lawrence Dental Co.

CUT RATE DENTISTS

Fourth and Main. Over Hebberd's

RUSS ARMY AGAIN ON OFFENSIVE IN POLISH TERRITORY

Germans Admit Violent Attacks Are in Progress but Claim All Are Repulsed

SLAVS CLAIM TO HOLD PRZASNYSZ

Asserted by Petrograd That Assailants Were Driven Back by Machine Guns

BERLIN, via Wireless to London, March 1.—New Russian forces have appeared along the Przasnysz-Lomza-Augustof battle front in Poland, and have begun a gentral offensive movement against Von Hindenburg's armies, it was officially admitted today.

Northwest of Lomza, the Slavs in great numbers have begun a series of violent attacks on the village of Skroda, south of Kolno. The Germans have repulsed several of these onslaughts and have taken 1,100 prisoners, but the enemy continue desperate charges.

Fight in Swamps

Northwest of Grodno, another large body of Russians is battling with the Germans in the swamps, ten miles east of Augustof. The enemy is also on the offensive in the Przasnysz region. Dispatches from the front expressed the belief that the series of attacks by the Russians was an attempt to halt further advances by the Germans, rather than a serious attempt to press Von Hindenburg back to the frontier.

In the western battle theater, the fighting around Verdun and near Perthes continues. For the seventh successive day the French have assaulted the German positions near Perthes. The crown prince's army is assaulting the French positions north of Verdun.

Slavs Claim Successes

PETROGRAD, Feb. 27.—Repulse of the Germans at Przasnysz, and defeat of a new Austrian movement toward Lemberg, were claimed in dispatches received here today. At Przasynsz the Germans threw several regiments into the attack. They swarmed toward the town, in the face of a hot machine fire, suffering enormous losses.

Russian heavy artillery caused still heavier casualties. It was admitted that the czar's troops also lost heavily.

Around Stanislau, the Austrians whose advance northward toward Halitz was halted by the Russians, attempted a new offensive west of Stanislau. Their object was to cut the line of communication of the Russian army operating south of Tuchla, and itself threatening to cut the Austrians off from the railroad leading to Munkacs and to advance on Lemburg, over the Stanislau-Lemberg railway. They were repulsed with heavy loss.

Germans Shell Ossowetz

The Germans have resumed the shelling of Ossowetz, the Polish fortress defending the Warsaw-Petrograd railway.

They have brought up heavier artillery and are making preparations for an extended siege. Along the Bobr and Narew, repeated German efforts to advance have been beaten off.

The Russians are on the offensive in Poland not only around Przasnysz both on both banks of the Vistula. The Russian lines near Bolimow are being slowly advanced.

$1 Day

AT NELS THOMPSON

Three 50c TIES for	$1.00
Five pairs 25c SOX	$1.00
Three 50c SHIRTS	$1.00
One lot $2.50 and $3.00 HATS	$1.00
$1.50 SHIRTS at	$1.00
$1.50 GLOVES	$1.00
One lot of $3 and $4 OXFORD SHOES	$1.00
One of Boys' Double Breasted SUITS	$1.00

AND

25% OFF ON ALL SUITS AND OVERCOATS for THAT DAY

NELS THOMPSON

133 South Fourth Street

Week Financial

BANK STATEMENT

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—The weekly bank statement today showed the following changes:

Surplus, decreased $2,412,750.
Loans, increased $10,566,000.
Resedve in own vaults, decreased $1,682,000.
Reserve in federal reserve banks, increased $1,370,000.
Net demand deposits, increased $13,650,000.
Reserve in other depositories, increased $217,000.
Circulation, decreased $297,000.
Aggregate reserves, $509,568,000.

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NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—Perhaps because of the possibility that Great Britain's reply to our government's "war zone" note might be published over Sunday, the stock exchange elected today to do nothing. Business was practically at a standstill and changes in price were confined to trifling fractions. In general, the market ended about where it stood at the closing yesterday. There was little news on today's market. Cotton exports for the week, like wheat exports, show very considerable reductions from other recent weeks. This may in part be due to the German submarines and mines. But the week's shipment of both commodities has none the less been far above the corresponding period last year.

The almost bewildering series of influences and counter-influences, which have affected this week's financial situation, has made it less easy than usual to say what the position actually was.

The week began with German submarine launching torpedoes at merchant vessels in a manner that certainly did not remove uneasiness over a similar fate for an American ship. But this has not happened. The destruction of our merchant ships by running on North sea mines no doubt raised a question as to the right or wrong of planting these infernal machines in the open sea, but it gave no ground for alleging deliberate intention.

Absence of any submarine attack on our merchant ships gave a chance for gradual reassurance.

This week's renewed decline in sterling exchange to within one cent of the last week's extraordinarily low level of $4.87¼, directs attention to the reports of other gold import engagements from Ottawa.

NIGHT OF REVELRY; FIGHT IN SALOON; POLICE AUTO—JAIL

"Happy" Green Breaks the Speed Regulations and Friends Break Fixtures; Arrests Follow

Silas "Happy" Green, the man who was awarded $10,000 a few years ago for the loss of both legs in a railroad wreck, burned a little more of his money up last night.

Green, Frank Brown, George Frohock, John Summers, John Gage and John "Red" Cook, all of North La Crosse, are today confined at the county jail, awaiting hearings on charges of wrecking interior furnishings of Cushner's saloon at French Island, and of "beating up" A. R. Fogel and H. Krueger.

The row started about midnight in John Elsen's saloon. The men are said to have suddenly selected Fogel and Krueger as punching bags and started for them. The two men fled and took refuge at the Cushner place where the six followed with their machine.

Police Chase Fighters

Cushner called Sheriff George J. Ritter here, and Ritter asked the assistance of the police. When the police auto, accompanied by the sheriff, arrived at the Cushner resort, the six men were just leaving. They were in a car owned by Green, who drove the car.

One of the hardest automobile chases in the history of the county followed. While the "bandit" automobile became stalled on a hill near Holmen, the police automobile was stopped with a flat tire. In all, forty miles was covered during the chase.

The police car finally started with the flat tire, Patrolman Rick risking accident in the successful endeavor to catch the six men.

The runaway car was overtaken near Holmen, a long distance off the road.

Silas Green, commonly termed "Happy" Green, is the only man in La Crosse ever fined $100 and costs for speeding. He beat all records again last night. Attorney F. H. Hartwell will defend the six men.

Man's will is a weak thing when a woman gets busy with it.

CHORAL CLUB TO REHEARSE TONIGHT

Good Attendance Expected at Second Meeting of Musical Organization

The La Crosse Choral club will hold its second rehearsal-meeting tonight at the W. B. U. hall. The membership committee has been busy telephoning to the various singers and the indications are that the attendance will be good. The committee urges all singers who desire to affiliate themselves with this splendid organization to come tonight. The plan is to organize with a membership of 150 to 200, and a chorus of this size, working in connection with the Philharmonic club, will be wonderfully effective in raising the musical status of La Crosse.

H. F. A. BANDMANN DIES

SHEBOYGAN, Wis., March 1.—Henry Frederick Adolph Bandmann one of the best known German-American citizens of the state, died today after a brief illness. He was president of the Wisconsin Kriegerbund, the organization which has charge of raising the fund for orphans and widows of German soldiers.

U. S. JESUIT ASSISTANCY

ROME, March 1.—The United States was today created an independent Jesuit assistancy under Father Thomas Gannon, formerly head of the eastern province of the United States.

Too Late to Classify

FOR SALE—Picture theaters. At all prices from $500 up. Some fine bargains if taken quick. Write Box 615, La Crosse, Wis. 3 1 5

DESTROYERS CONVOY U. S. LINER IN ZONE

American Ship Brings 220 Passengers to New York After Dash from Liverpool

NEW YORK, March 1—The American liner New York, carrying 220 passengers, glided into port here today, after a sucessful passage of the new submarine war zone around the British isles.

With four torpedo boats as convoys, she slipped out of Liverpool and dashed, with engine going at top speed, toward the open sea. Lifeboats were swung from their davits ready for instant use. After she cleared the war zone, the torpedo boats returned.

An unidentified steamship with all propeller blades missing, is drifting near the middle of the Atlantic, according to the log of the New York. It is thought to be the Tritonian, but is unknown here. All aboard are safe, according to the wireless received by the New York.

DENY INDICEMENTS

NEW YORK, March 1.—Eight directors of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, including Lewis Cass Ledyard, today entered pleas of not guilty to superseding indictments, charging them with violation of the Sherman law. They pleaded before Judge Neterer, in federal district court.

LOWELL HAS BAD FIRE

LOWELL, Mess., March 1.—Fire this afternoon destroyed Memorial hall, one of the finest libraries in this section, and seriously threatened the city hall and entire business section.

The candidate who gets the vote of the fair sex ought to receive a handsome majority.

RUNAWAY ENGINE SMASHES ANOTHER

One Killed and Ten Hurt When Switch Engine Gets Away from Fireman at Cedar Rapids

CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa, March 1.—One man was killed and ten injured when a runaway Rock Island switch engine struck the Northwestern fast mail at a street crossing in this city early today. The switch engine was running forty miles an hour. H. M. Titsel, Cedar Rapids, Rock Island engineer, was killed.

The Rock Island engine was switching near the St. Clair packing plant when something went wrong and Engineer Titzel went on the running board to investigate, telling Fireman Vlogan to run the engine. Vlogan lost control of it, and it started down the track 30 miles an hour. Titzel tried to stop the train but failed, and went to his death when the train struck the Northwestern fast mail at the first street crossing.

CATTLE STORY DENIED

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Agriculture department officials today denied a story that "feeders" who fatten cattle for market, have decided to cease purchasing from big cattle raisers. On the contrary, the department experts said, they are buying unborn Texas calves at $35 per head, and except for the fact that foot and mouth disease quarantines have reduced the cattle supply, no reasons exist why they should not purchase from any available source.

M'WILLIAMS' SON DIES

James, aged one year and eleven months, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. McWilliams, 322 South Fourth street died Saturday afternoon at a local hospital of typhoid fever after an illness of sevtral months. The body was taken to Evanston, Ill., Saturday. Interment was made there today.

An Open Letter To Users of Morphine, Cocaine or Opium Derivatives

THE Federal law restricting the sale of Morphine, Heroin, Codeine and all derivatives of Opium and Cocaine goes into effect March 1, 1915. After that date none of these "drugs" can be obtained except through physicians' prescriptions and physicians must make strict accounting to the Government on every prescription of this nature. It will be extremely difficult if not impossible for a drug user to obtain any of the drugs restricted under this law.

Persons addicted to the use of these drugs can obtain quick and permanent relief at the Keeley Institute, 629 South Tenth Street, Minneapolis, Minnesota. The treatment is not hard to undergo. It builds up the system, restores normal conditions and removes the necessity for the use of the drugs.

Correspondence will be kept strictly confidential. All matter mailed from the Institute in response to inquiries will be inclosed in plain wrappers. Full information free.

The U. S. Government Restricts Sale of These "Drugs" After Feb. 28, 1915

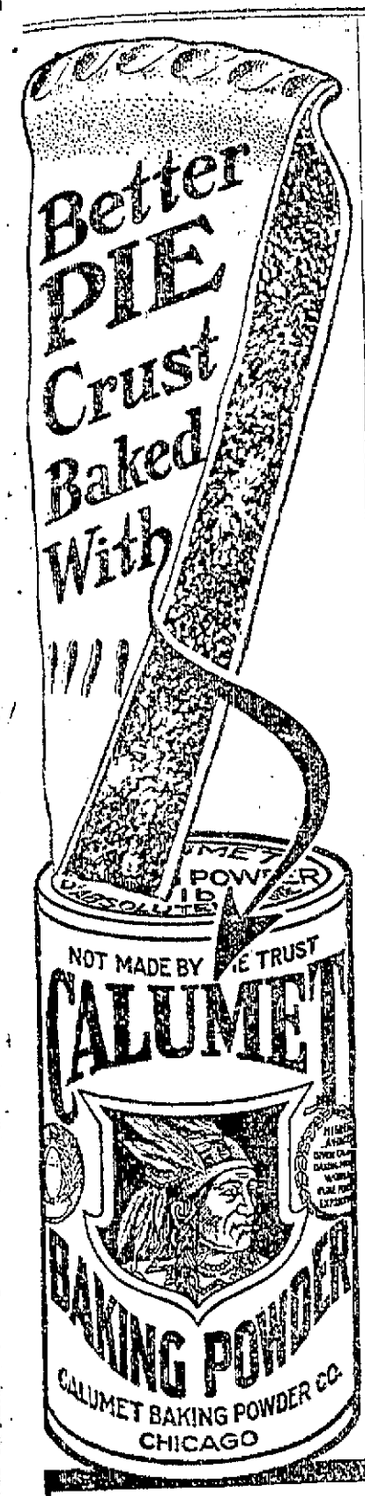
What the Dollar Day Sale means with us

We have combinations that sell for one dollar. Here are two of many:

Two 20c Milk Pans	40c
One 10c Mixing Bowl	10c
One Aluminum Sauce Pan	60c
1 Aluminum Fry Pan	50c
	$1.00
One white, blue and white Bowl	10c
One white, blue and white Bowl	15c
One white, blue and white Bowl	20c
One white, blue and white Bowl	25c
One white, blue and white Bowl	50c
	$1.00

A $1.40 Aluminum Sauce Pan $1.00

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Better cookies, cake and biscuits, too. All as light, fluffy, tender and delicious as mother used to bake. And just as wholesome. For purer Baking Powder than Calumet cannot be had at *any price*.

Ask your grocer.

RECEIVED HIGHEST AWARDS
World's Pure Food Exposition, Chicago, Ill.
Paris Exposition, France, March, 1912

MOTHERS' PENSION MEASURE NOW A LAW IN WYOMING

CHEYENNE, Wyo., March 1.—Wyoming mothers with children under 14 years of age, unable to obtain employment permitting them to spend a reasonable part of their time at home, will hereafter be pensioned by the state.

Governor Kendrick has signed the bill passed by the legislature providing a pension of $20 a month. Those with more than one child may receive $20 a month for the first child and $10 a month for each additional child.

The man who is quick to wrath usually has a difficult time getting anywhere.

CHILD'S TONGUE BECOMES COATED IF CONSTIPATED

When cross, feverish and sick give "California Syrup of Figs"

Children love this "fruit laxative," and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels so nicely.

A child simply will not stop playing to empty the bowels, and the result is, they become tightly clogged with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sours, then your little one becomes cross, half-sick, feverish, don't eat, sleep or act naturally, breath is bad, system full of cold, has sore throat, stomach-ache or diarrhoea. Listen, Mother! See if tongue is coated, then give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the system, and you have a well, playful child again.

Millions of mothers give "California Syrup of Figs" because it is perfectly harmless; children love it, and it never fails to act on the stomach, liver and bowels.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

WIFE OF ALLEGED SPY THREATENED

Mrs. Richard Stegler Turns Warning to Be Silent Over to the U. S. Authorities

STEGLER TELLS WHAT PLANS WERE

Instructions Were to Visit Shipyards in Belfast and Examine Liverpool Harbor

NEW YORK, March 1.—A federal grand jury probe today is expected to follow the sending of a threatening letter to Mrs. Richard Stegler, wife of the German prisoner here, in the passport fraud case. The letter, which warned Mrs. Stegler that if she talked any more concerning her husband's arrest, harm would befall her, was turned over to federal officers.

Warned Over 'Phone

In addition to the letter, Mrs. Stegler declared she had received several telephone calls since her husband's arrest, warning her to "keep her mouth shut."

Captain Boy-Ed, the German naval attache named by Stegler as the head of the German spy system in this country, today refused to discuss the hurried visit of the German ambassador, Count von Bernstorff, to New York yesterday.

"Suffice it to say," he declared, "that his visit had nothing to do with this alleged passport scandal."

Stegler today told the plans which he declares were made for him by Captain Boy-Ed.

To Inspect Shipyards

"I first was to go to Belfast, Ireland," he said, "and to inspect the shipyards there. A number of merchant vessels were reported being painted and rebuilt there to resemble British battleships, and were to be used in a scheme to block the mouths of the Elbe and Weser rivers, in Germany. I was directed to find out about it.

"Later I was to go to Liverpool and investigate conditions there and see what chance there would be for a submarine raid on the ships in Liverpool harbor."

Spy's Widow Gets Indemnity

Stegler also declared that Mrs. Lody, widow of Carl Hans Lody, who executed in the tower of Lindon as a German spy, was given $15,000 by the German government.

CAN'T CELEBRATE—HARDY IS PEEVED AT OUR CALENDAR

While being married in a leap-year may have its advantages to the "woman" in the case, it has deprived Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Dennison, 1237 Farnam street, of eighteen wedding anniversaries.

Mr. Dennison, who has been married fifty-one years today, will not disclose the truth of whether his "spouse" proposed, but he bemoans the date because of the ban which it carries.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennison were married February 20, 1864. Only once in four years can they celebrate their anniversary.

Next year they plan to make up for the three years deprived them, with a celebration which will outdo any in the past.

ROAD PAYS DIVIDENDS

MONREAL, March 1.—The Canadian Pacific will pay its quarterly dividends of 2½ per cent to stockholders of record today.

THE CONTINENTAL

GREAT DOLLAR DAY



SPECIALS

Wednesday, March 3rd

will mark the inauguration of La Crosse's Greatest Advertising Event—

The 1st semi-annual

DOLLAR DAY SALES

Having joined in this movement, we are desirous of its success, and therefore offer some exceptional strong ONE DOLLAR BARGAINS as our quota to this great ONE DAY BARGAIN EVENT

—and to make DOLLAR DAY a sure winner we'll allow

ONE DOLLAR OFF

on any of our new SPRING SUITS, TOPCOATS or BALMACAANS.

See the Beautiful Models now on exhibit in our main 4th St. Window

REMEMBER: THIS OFFER HOLDS GOOD FOR ONLY ONE DAY—WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3rd, 1915

$1.00 For Men's Fancy pleated bosom, cuff attached, percale shirts. Regular selling price $1.50.

$1.00 For Boys' Shawl Collar Sweater Coats. Regular selling price $1.50.

$1.00 For Boys' Three Piece Knee Pants Suits. Regular selling price $3.00 and over.

$1.00 For any of our regular $1.50 Silk Four-in-hands.

$1.00 For Boys' Blue Serge Knicker Pants. Regular selling price $1.25. Sizes 8 to 16.

$1.00 For Men's Cassimere Work Pants. Regular selling price $1.50.

$1.00 For Little Fellows' Reefers. Worth double and more.

5 Pair for $1 Of any of our regular 25c Socks in the store.

$1.00 For Men's Fancy Golf and Auto Caps. Regular selling price $1.50.

$1.00 For any Child's $1.50 Sweater in the store.

$1.00 For any Man's ~~$1.50~~ or Boy's Flannel Shirt. All colors.

$1.00 For any Boys' $1.50 Flannel Blouse Waist. All colors.

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HART, SCHAFFNER & MARX

Good Clothes

THE CONTINENTAL

Henry N. Boehm, Manager.

UNION MADE

Mallory Hats

Cravenetted (Rainproof)

The best ever for $3.00

LA CROSSE'S GREATEST CLOTHING STORE

Doings of Local People at "U"

Otto Endres of La Crosse, sophomore student at the University of Wisconsin, won first place in the pole vault in the annual soph-fresh indoor meet at the gymnasium annex. The bar stood at 10 feet 6 inches. The meet was won by the sophomores by a comfortable margin.

Raymond Keeler of La Crosse, captain of last year's varsity football team at the University of Wisconsin, was one of the guests of honor at the annual sophomore prom held recently. Irving M. Tuteur of La Crosse was chairman of the publicity and advertising committee for the function.

John E. McConnell of La Crosse attended a regular meeting of the board of visitors of the University of Wisconsin recently. President C. R. Van Hise entertained the members of the board at a formal dinner.

Mrs. Josephine Jones, dean of women at the La Crosse state normal school attended the annual vocational conference for women and the conference of deans of women at the University of Wisconsin this month.

Raymond Keeler of La Crosse was one of the three speakers who assailed the Heim bill, which would deprive students of the right to vote in Madison, at a mass meeting of University of Wisconsin students held at the Y. M. C. A. to protest against the measure. Mr. Keeler will undoubtedly be one of a committee to be appointed by the students to appear in opposition to the bill when it comes up for a hearing before the legislatre committee.

Miss Helen Ulrich of La Crosse, senior in the college of letters and science at the University of Wisconsin, has been selected as a member of the girls' basketball team representing her class

VOTING BY MAIL MAY BE LEGALIZED BY LEGISLATURE

Two Bills to Permit Students and Teachers to Cast Ballots in Home Communities Up

MADISON, Wis., March 7.—(Special.)—The plan of voting by mail, which attracted so much of the attention of the last legislature, has been presented in the assembly for consideration. Two bills have been offered both of which are modeled closely after the Minnesota law. One is introduced by Assemblyman John B. Heim of Madison and the other by Assemblyman Carl Pieper of Dunn county. Assemblyman Heim offered the bill so that students at the different educational institutions might mail their ballot back home to be recorded on election day.

The senate committee on judiciary has fixed March 10 as the date when the Skogmo resolution for the calling of a constitutional convention will be considered. Assemblyman Pieper announced today that he would make a fight to have his eugenics bill passed over the unfavorable committee report. The Pieper bill provided that the provision of the eugenic law requiring a medical test be repealed and that in its place the contracting parties be required to sign a statement in which they declare that to the best of their knowledge they were not suffering from a communicable disease.

LEAGUE CUTS SALARIES

NEW YORK, March 1.—The International league which met today and cut the salaries because of the hard times.

BAUCH ACCUSED BY AGED SPOUSE

Fred Bauch, 60, was arraigned in county court today on charges of having assaulted his aged wife, and threatened to kill her. The hearings were postponed until 2 o'clock Monday afternoon because Bauch was found to be intoxicated.

A RAW, SORE THROAT

Eases Quickly When You Apply a Little Musterole

And MUSTEROLE won't blister like the old-fashioned mustard-plaster. Just spread it on with your fingers. It penetrates to the sore spot with a gentle tingle, loosens the congestion and draws out all soreness and pain.

MUSTEROLE is a clean, white ointment made with oil of mustard. There's nothing like it for quick relief for Sore Throat, Bronchitis, Tonsilitis, Croup, Stiff Neck, Asthma, Neuralgia, Headache, Congestion, Pleurisy, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Pains and Aches of the Back or Joints, Sprains, Sore Muscles, Bruises, Chilblains, Frosted Feet, Colds on the Chest (it often prevents pneumonia). Nothing like MUSTEROLE for croupy children.

At your druggist's, in 25c and 50c jars, and a special large hospital size for $2.50.

Be sure you get the genuine MUSTEROLE. Refuse imitations—get what you ask for. The Musterole Company, Cleveland, Ohio.

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DIRECTOR PICKS UP FACTS AT PROBE

Admits He Learned More of Railroad's Affairs at U. U. Inquiry Than in 18 Years as Director

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Ogden Mills, Rock Island director since 1897, admitted on the stand before the interstate commerce commission today that he had learned more about the affairs of the road while listening to other witnesses at the investigation than during all his years of service as a director.

Mills said he was not present at the meeting when 3,800 shares of stock were presented to officials and that he got none of the stock. He knew nothing of the alleged $50,000 gift to G. H. Warren and the $100,000 gift to R. A. Jackson and other gifts, he said.

"I certainly would object if funds were squandered," he said and asked why he did not investigate the "gifts," he said they had not been brought to his knowledge.

ALLEGED PLOT NOT PROVEN

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas, March 1.—The alleged conspiracy of Mexicans to kill all white males over 16 years of age in the southwestern states and set up a new white republic, was not proved in a preliminary hearing today of Antonio Gonzales, who was charged with being the ring leader in the plot. Gonzales was released and the case was dismissed. An alleged accomplice, to be given a hearing later, probably will be released also. A circular printed in Spanish was shown, however, calling for the uprising last Monday. A United States commissioner heard the case here.

AIRMEN SCOUT FOR SUBMARINE QUARRY

LONDON, March 1.—German strategy has devised a new use for aircraft. To aid the submarines in their attacks upon British merchantmen and warcraft, the Germans have ordered taubes and hydroplanes to patrol English coast waters, and hunt out enemy vessels. This fact was learned today when two German aviators were found clinging to the wreckage of a hydro-aeroplane off Lowestoft, a Suffolk county seaport, 110 miles northeast of London. The airmen, half dead from exposure, when they regained consciousness, said they had been sent from the Belgian coast with instructions to watch for British ships in the North sea and signal their presence to a squadron of submarines.

Other aviators, it is known, are performing a similar service in the English channel.

YANKEES IN TRAINING

SAVANNAH, Ga., March 1.—The New York Americans reported at their training camp here today.

PASSENGERS AVOID THE LUSITANIA

NEW YORK, March 1.—With "Old Glory" painted on her bow and the words American line in large letters on both sides of her hull, the steamer St. Paul sailed from here today for Liverpool. The Lusitania also sails today, but the passenger list on the St. Paul was by far the largest, as the Lusitania is under British registry.

BOY BURGLARS HELD

RACINE, Wis., March 1.—Ernest Medworth and John Meier, boy burglars from Chicago, each fifteen years old, are in jail here charged with robbing the homes of Dr. James Henderson and Fred Cornell in broad daylight.

CALOMEL SALIVATES

Calomel makes you sick and you lose a day's work. Calomel is a nasty, dangerous chemical. To liven your sluggish liver and bowels when constipated, headachy, bilious, just get a 10-cent box of harmless Cascarets. They work while you sleep, don't gripe, sicken or salivate.

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Children's Wash Suits

Children's Wash Suits, made in different styles and colors, such as Oliver Twist, Sailor, Russian Blouse and many others. Values up to $1.98, sizes from 2 to 7 years. Special for Dollar Day—

$1.00

Dollar Bargains in the Stationery Department

COPYRIGHT BOOKS

A special lot of popular copyright books, good selection of titles.

5 of the regular 49c Copyright Books for **$1.00**

All the late editions of copyrighted books, usually selling at $1.25, $1.35 and $1.50, on Dollar Day only **$1**

RUGS 27x54 inch Axminster Rugs, $1.75 value— **$1**

BED SPRINGS Any size Bed Spring for— **$1**

LINOLEUM Any pattern of Inlaid Linoleum, yard **$1**

Dollar Bargains in the Grocery Department

STARCH—5 large 25c packages of Argo Starch for **$1**

WASHING POWDER—6 large No. 4 packages of Rub-No-More Washing Powder for..... **$1**

POST TOASTIES—20 10c packages of Post Toasties for **$1**

BAKING POWDER—5 25c cans of either K. C. or Calumet Baking Powder for..... **$1**

Suit Cases

Suit Cases made of matting and red fibre, with enameled steel frame and corners, well lined, and with inside tie straps, regular $1.48 value, special for Dollar Day sale—

$1.00

Every time you buy one dollar's worth of Groceries, selected from the list below, we will sell you

24 *Pounds of Granulated SUGAR for . . . .* **$1**

⅛ pound ground Cinnamon for	5c
⅛ pound ground Pepper for	5c
⅛ pound ground Mustard for	5c
⅛ pound ground Ginger for	5c
⅛ pound ground Allspice for	5c
½ pound fresh baked Ginger Snaps for	5c
½ pound Salted Pretzels for	5c
½ pound Pearl Tapioca for	5c
Bulk Starch, per pound	5c
1 bottle Little Boy Blue Condensed Blueing	10c
Cider Vinegar, per gallon	25c
White Wine Vinegar, per gallon	15c
Bulk Cocoa, ½ pound	15c
½ pound Bulk Cocoanut for	10c
3 pounds Sal Soda for	5c
5 pounds Salt for	5c
One dozen boxes Safety Matches for	5c

A Corset at $1.00

Manufacturer's surplus stock of American Lady Corsets, made of fine coutil material, medium bust, lace trimmed, with draw string and six hose supporters, an excellent corset for spring or summer. A regular $1.50 garment, special for Dollar Day at each **$1**

Corset Department 2nd floor.

The Doerflinger Women's Suit Department will offer for this great, eventful day, the biggest bargains ever put before you.

$3.00 Women's Skirts, $1.00
Women's Skirts, regular $3 all wool skirts, in serge and mixtures; we have only about 40 of these garments, so you will have to be here early. Dollar Day price **$1**

Women's White Aprons, $1
A big lot of hand embroidered Women's White Aprons special for Dollar Day, 5 for **$1**

Women's Drawers
Women's Drawers, the regular 35c kind, Dollar Day price, 5 pairs for **$1**



Ready-To-Wear Section Second Floor

Women's Silk Crepe $1.50 Petticoats for $1.00
Women's Silk Crepe Petticoats, $1.50 values, Dollar Day price **$1**

Women's Shirt Waists
Women's Shirt Waists, new spring models, $1.25 values, Dollar Day price each **$1**

Children's Dresses
New spring Dresses for children, just received, made of Amoskeag Gingham and Chambray, some hand embroidered, Dollar Day price **$1**

4 Outing Gowns for $1.00

Anticipate your next winter wants for Outing Gowns during the Dollar Day sale. We offer you regular 50c Women's Outing Gowns, 4 for **$1**

House Dresses

The electric House Dresses, best fitting garment made, sizes from 36 to 52 bust measure, choice of any of the regular $1.25 values, Dollar Day price **$1**

Dollar Day Bargains in Domestics and Notions

NOTION BARGAINS

With every dollar purchase of Notions, Yarns, Purses, Hand Bags, Shell and Celluloid Hair Pins, Hand Mirrors, we will give you $5.00 worth of Extra Premium Stamps FREE.

ONE DOLALR OFF—On each $5.00 purchase of Blankets will cut off One Dollar; in other words, you'll pay us $4.00 instead of 5 dollars.

$1.25 TABLE LINEN $1.00

Wednesday we will sell all our $1.25 Table Linens at yard **$1**

HANDKERCHIEFS

With every $1.00 purchase of Handkerchiefs we will give you $5.00 worth of extra Premium Stamps FREE.

QUILTS

All our $1.25 and $1.50 Bed Comforters or Quilts at **$1**

OUTING FLANNEL

12½ yards of 10c Outing Flannel for **$1**

95c Shirt and 50c Neck Tie for $1

Our Men's Furnishing Dept. offers for Dollar Day Wednesday your choice of Blue Diamond Shirts, selling at 95c, and your choice of a large assortment of 50c Flowing End Silk Four-in-Hands. Shirts come in coat style, in neat stripe patterns of blue, black and lavender, with cuffs attached. Colors are guaranteed fast. Shirt and Tie Dollar Day at **$1**

Dollar Bargains IN Art Goods

3 of our 50c packages of Royal Society Stamped Goods.
Wurzburger Stamped Goods
Peri Lusta Stamped Goods
Artimo Stamped Goods.
Belding Bros.' Stamped Goods.

For $1.00

ROYAL SOCIETY PACKAGES

2 of our 75c packages as above at **$1**

5 of our 25c packages as above at **$1**

$1.50 Allover Lace and Flouncing will be sold on this day at per yard **$1**

5 yards of 25c Embroideries will be sold on this day at ... **$1**

What $1.00 will buy in the Dress Goods Section Dollar Day

$1.80 for $1.00
Just think of buying 10 yards of 18c Dress Ginghams for $1.00. Our big buying facilities make these bargains possible. Full 32 inches wide, big variety of styles in plaids, checks and stripes.

$1.44 for $1
Dollar Day we sell 8 yards of 32 inch Daisy cloth, worth 18c a yard, a similar fabric to Kindergarten cloth, only lighter in weight, neat stripe effects, launders perfectly.

$2.10 for $1.00
6 yards of printed Rice Voile, worth regularly 35c per yard, all new spring styles.

$2.00 for $1.00
42 inch Silk and Wool Dress Goods that are as staple as wheat and sell day in and day out at $1 a yard. Dollar Day we give you one yard additional for every yard you buy; all neat stripe designs in tans, grays and browns.

Combination Dollar Bargain

A Genuine Money Saver for You.

6 yards 25c Printed Costume Crepe	$1.50
1 dozen Wash Crochet Buttons	.10
1 spool Clark's Thread	.05
Total	$1.65

All the above Dollar Day for **$1.00**

This Dollar Combination Big Value

Be sure you get your share of this Special.

10 yards American CALICO	$ .60
2 yards 35c WHITE PERCALINE	.50
1 bunch 10c COLORED SKIRT BRAID	.10
1 spool CLARK'S COTTON THREAD	.05
2 cards HOOKS and EYES	.05
Total	$1.30

An actual saving of 30c.

Buy it Dollar Day for . . . **$1.00**

Combination Dollar Bargain

4½ yards 75c Colored Ratine	$3.38
(Slightly soiled on double fold)	
2 cards of Hooks and Eyes	.05
1 Amolin Dress Shield	.25
Total	$3.68

All the above Dollar Day for **$1.00**

A RARE SILK BARGAIN ONLY $1.00

To demonstrate the values we give in this Dollar Day sale we will sell as long as they last the following colors in our regular $1.50 Silk and Wool Poplin: White, yellow, nile, navy and wisteria, 40 inches wide, on sale Dollar Day at per yard **$1.00**

Dollar Bargains IN Underwear and Hosiery

3-50c "Bodygard Brand" Vests and Pants for Women, sold on Dollar Day for **$1**

3-50c Women's Union Suits, long sleeves, ankle length, sold on Dollar Day at **$1**

5 pairs of Women's fast black or grey wool Hose, our regular 25c kind, 5 pairs at ... **$1**

5 pair of Women's fleece lined Hosiery, regular 25c kind, sale price, 5 pair for **$1**

Men's extra heavy fleece lined Shirts and Drawers will be sold at 3 garments for **$1**

Housefurnishing Section Offers a World of Dollar Day Bargains

GO CART $1.00
Collapsable Baby Go-Cart with Hood **$1.00**

3 quart Aluminum TEA or COFFEE POT for **$1**

Baby Doll and Cart, $1.00
1 Collapsable Doll Cart .....
1 Kid Body Doll **$1.00**

Gallon Paint $1.00—MoneyBak guaranteed House Paint, per gallon **$1**

LAUNDRY OUTFIT
1 set Mrs. Potts' Sad Irons .....
1 Clothes Basket .....
1 Wash Board **$1.00**

Decorated Cups, Saucers and Dinner Plates
6 Cups and Saucers .....
6 Dinner or Soup Plates **$1.00**

12 quart ALUMINUM KETTLE, extra deep, for **$1**

ENAMELED WARE COMBINATION
6 quart Berlin Kettle with cover...
7 quart Tea Kettle, seamless .....
2 quart Tea Pot .....
3 quart Coffee Pot, enameled **$1.00**

ELECTRIC LAMP—Electric Lamp with 14 inch shade..... **$1**

FLOOR POLISHING OUTFIT
Adjustable Mop .....
Quart Can O'Cedar Oil..... **$1.00**

Pair Curtain Stretchers, $1.00
Curtain Stretchers, with adjustable pins, full size, at **$1**

2 Rooms Wall Paper for $1.00
As a special for Dollar Day we will sell enough Wall Paper to furnish Dining Room and Bed Room for **$1**

ALUMINUM WARE COMBINATION
2 quart Kettle or Sauce Pan .....
1 Fry Pan, standard size .....
1 Double Rice Boiler, 2 quart size.. **$1.00**

BATH ROOM OUTFIT
1 White Enameled Bath Seat ....
1 18 inch Towel Bar .....
1 Hanging Soap Dish .....
1 Glass Shelf **$1.00**

LAUNDRY OUTFIT $1.00
1 Wash Boiler .....
1 Large Galvanized Tub .....
1 Wash Board **$1.00**

PICTURES
Pictures, size 15x24, gold Lacquered, suitable for parlor, library or living room ... **$1.00**

Women's Slippers

Women's Boudoir Slippers, in black and brown kid, low heel, thin sole and Pom Pom ornament, regular $1.25 values, this sale

$1.00

Women's Hats

The popular new Sailors in all latest colors, regular $2.00 values, Dollar Day each

$1.00

HEIL'S DOLLAR DAY Offerings

Women's $2.00 Satin Boudoir Slippers . . . **$1**

Men's House Slippers worth up to $1.75 . . . **$1**

Boy's House Slippers worth up to $1.50 . . . **$1**

Any pair of **Women's Felt House Slippers,** formerly sold up to $2.00 **$1**

See Our Window Display for Additional Bargains.

Heil's FAMILY Shoe Store

MAIN STREET AT FOURTH

RUSHFORD HIGH PUPILS DECLAIM

Final Program of the High School Declamatory Contest Brings Out Best Talent in School

RUSHFORD, Minn., March 1.—(Special.)—Few, if any vacant seats were to be found at the Elite theater Friday night when the finals in the declamatory contest took place.

Good delegations were here from Houston and Lanesboro. Spring Valley was also represented as was La Crosse. Houston, Lanesboro and Rushford furnished the contestants, of whom there were nine. The evening's program was opened by a selection rendered by the Elite orchestra. Superintendent Madson spoke briefly upon the need of such work as that of the evening and thanked all for the splendid attendance at each of the preliminary contests.

The Rushford high school then boomed out its rapid fire "yell," and as Bennie Reishus, the first speaker, made his way to the platform, he was heartily cheered by his fellow workers. His oration, "The Peace of the World," consumed over half an hour's time, being the lengthiest of any upon the program.

He was followed by Miss Dyllone Hemstead of Houston, who told of "The Unknown Speaker." John Leary of Lanesboro gave the oration "Toussaint L'Ourverture," followed by the first of the dramatic speakers: Lillian Sundby of Rushford, who gave "The Lost Chord;" "The Chariot Race" was given by Helen Amidon of Houston and the last dramatic speaker, Henrietta Glasoe of Lanesboro told of "Connor." Allen Whitehouse of Houston, first of the humorous speakers, gave "Mrs. Casey on Lawn Tennis." Josephine Vaagen of Rushford followed with "The Coming Out of Miss Cummings" and Vesta Chapman of Lanesboro gave the concluding number, "Grandfather." The judges were Superintendent of Schools Oscar Carlson of Preston, Principal McCormick of La Crosse, and Miss Walker, principal of the Spring Valley schools.

Their decision gave first oratorical honors to John Leary of Lanesboro; first dramatic honors to Lillian Sundby of Rushford, and first humorous honors to Allen Whitehouse of Houston.

Spring is Here

Prominent Rushford people vouch for the story that a meadow lark was heard singing here last week. Spring must be here!

Semi-Pros Ski

A ski tournament, on a somewhat smaller scale than that of Rushford, was enjoyed at the farm of B. Quammen, near Highland, last Monday. No prizes were given, but some fine records were made, both by professionals and amateurs. Those participating were: Christ Kuland, Theodore Martinson, Jens Rud, Eddie Tolstad, Arthur Langford and Poder Halvorson.

Co-Ops Build Plant

The new creamery building of the Rushford Farmers' Co-operative Creamery company is now occupied by Mr. Plonty in his duties as butter maker. The building is a long stride in advance of the old place of business, being well-lighted, well ventilated and commodious, with up-to-the-minute facilities for working to the best advantage. The old creamery building, which was purchased several months ago by Messrs. Colbenson of this vicinity, is being razed and the material therein hauled to the farm of the purchasers.

Mrs. Ladslen and daughters, Mrs. Sandit and Miss Emma Ladsten of Tawney, Minn., were guests last Thursday and Friday of the Mrs. Gunder Anderson home in Ferry street.

Several cases of measles are again reported here, the epidemic of mumps having about run its course.

Moppy's Show is Good

The Eleonora Olson Concert company, brought here by the Rushford Athletic association, of whom "Moppy" Anderson is at the head, played to a large audience here Wednesday night.

Telegrapher Dies

Axtel Knudson, a son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Knudshon of this city, died at the home of his parents last Wednesday afternoon, February 24. The young man had been forced to stop his work as a telegrapher a number of months ago and had been steadily failing, though he had not been confined to his bed a great while. Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Rushford Lutheran church, Rev. Jaastad officiating and interment was made in the Lutheran cemetery west of the city.

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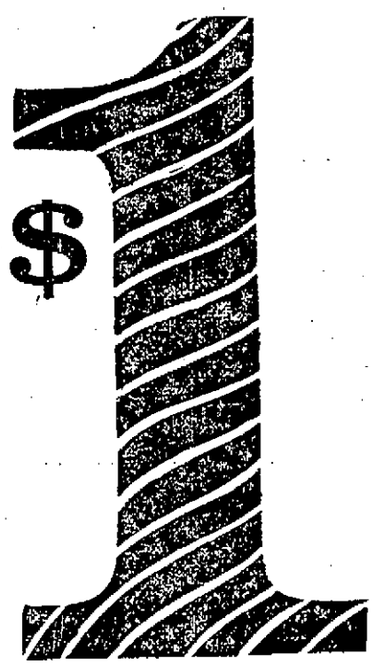
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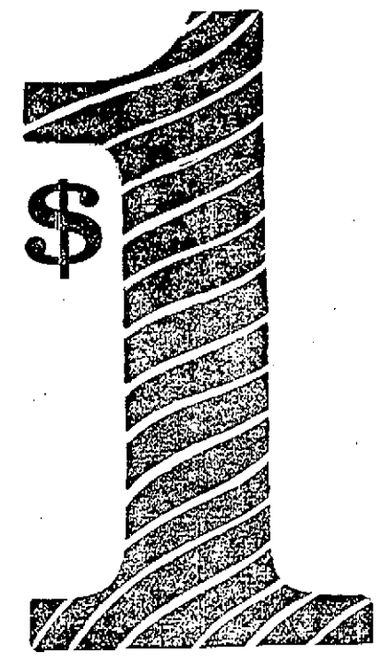
Ladies' Fur Scars and Muffs for
Ladies' Dress Skirts for each
Ladies' Silk Waists for each
Ladies' $1.50 to $2.00 Crepe Kimonas for each
Children's Winter Coats for each
Infants' $1.50 and $2.00 Sweaters for
Ladies' Tailored & Lingerie Waists, worth to $3.50, for each
Gingham Petticoats, worth 50c each, three for
Children's Sweaters, worth $1.50, for
Ladies' Washable Dress Skirts, each
Ladies' Black and Colored Petticoats, worth $1.50, for
Ladies' Kid Gloves, worth $1.50 to $2.25 pair, for
Mens 50'c Linen Initialed Handkerchiefs, 3 for
Ladies' 25c Handkerchiefs, all kinds, 5 for
Lades' and Men's $1.50 Umbrellas, each for



For 2 Ladies' 75c and $1.00 Night Gowns.
For 2 Ladies' 75c and $1.00 White Petticoats.
For Ladies' $1.50 and $2.00 Corsets.
For 3 yards of 50c and 65c White Goods.
For 3 yards 50c and 65c Wash Goods.
For 2 yards 75c and $1.00 Embroidered Voiles.
For 7 yards 25c Striped Voiles.
For 2 75c 81x90 Sheets.
For $2.00 and $2.25 mill odd Spreads.
For 4 rolls 35c Cotton Batting.
For 5 25c Hemmed Bath Towels.
For 5 25c Hemmed Huck Towels.
For 2 75c Hemstitched Huck Towels.
For 12 yards 12½c Percales, 36 inch.

Women's House Dresses, worth $1.00 to $1.50 each, 2 for $1

$2.50 Mesh Bags, each for
La Vallieres, worth $1.50 to $3.50, each for
Ladies' Leather Hand Bags, worth $1.50 to $2.50, for
Velvet Bags, worth $1.25, Vanity Cases, worth 75c, both for
Gold Filled Lockets, worth $1.50 to $2.50, for
Ladies' Silk Hose, worth $1.50 to $2.50 pair, for
Ladies' 35c Hose, 4 pairs for
Ladies' 25c Hose, 5 pairs for
Carter's $1.50 and $1.75 Underwear, for each
Ladies' $1.50 to $2.00 Princess Slips for each
Ladies' $1.50 to $2.00 Night Gowns for each
Ladies' $1.50 and $1.75 Muslin Petticoats for



For 12 Cups and Saucers, Willow ware.
For 12 Supper Plates, Willow ware.
For 6 Maderia Napkins, worth $4.00 dozen.
For $1.35 & $1.50 Bleached and Silver Bleached Damask.
For 6 $2.50 and $3.00 doz. Napkins, in full bleached.
For 2 $1.00 Stamped Night Gowns.
For 6, 6 inch Maderia Doylies, worth $3.00 dozen.
For 3 45c and 50c Maderia Doylies, scalloped edges.
For 2 75c Maderia Doylies, scalloped edges.
For 18 inch Maderia Doylies, scalloped edges, worth $1.50.

Drapery Dept.—Third Floor—250 pairs Lace Curtains, choice of 12 patterns, value $2.00, special at the pair **$1.00**

We Brought Down the Prices Raised the Quality

Don't pay more than these prices for your dental work. We will give you the best work and use the best material ever put into dental work by any dentist anywhere at these prices.

$20.00 Set of Teeth $12.00
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$10.00 Gold Crowns $5.00
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DESERT "VALLEY"

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., March 1.—"The Valley," this city's segregated district, doomed to pass officially at midnight Sunday, is deserted today, in the city administration's campaign to make East St. Louis "more like home and less like hell." The district, which at one time housed 500 women, will have no "farewell party."

OUCH! BACKACHE! RUB LUMBAGO OR STIFFNESS AWAY

Rub pain from back with small trial bottle of old "St. Jacob's Oil."

When your back is sore and lame or lumbago, sciatica or rheumatism has you stiffened up, don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle of old, honest "St. Jacob's Oil" at any drug store, pour a little on your hand and rub it right on your aching back, and by the time you count fifty, the soreness and lameness is gone.

Don't stay crippled! This soothing penetrating oil needs to be used only once. It takes the pain right out and ends the misery. It is magical, yet absolutely harmless and doesn't burn the skin.

Nothing else stops lumbago, sciatica, backache or rheumatism so promptly. It never disappoints!

HUBBY'S AFFECTIONS ALIENATED SHE SUES HIS WEALTHY DAD



Mrs. Johnny Haserot.

One hundred thousand dollars for her husband and her peace of mind is the price Mrs. Johnny Haserot, nineteen, asks of F. H. Haserot of Cleveland, O., her wealthy father-in-law, in a suit charging alienation of affections. The young bride married Johnny Haserot, seventeen, last summer. The father took him away from the girl and had him sent to a state reformatory. The lad's love for the girl has since cooled.

ACQUIT GIRL WHO SHOT EMPLOYER

TORONTO, Ont., March 1.—Carrie Davis, the young servant girl, who shot and killed her employer, C. A. Massey, well known clubman, because she feared he would assault her while his wife was away, was today acquitted by a jury.

Massey was shot to death on the steps of his fashionable home. The girl pleaded he had kissed her the night before and that she was afraid to stay in the house with him another night alone.

Her First Dinner Party.

I was giving my first dinner in our new home, and, being somewhat excited, asked a couple who were Quakers by faith to ask a blessing on our food. They refused and in turn suggested that I ask the blessing. Never having made a prayer or speech in company, I became greatly confused and said: "Oh, no, let's just pass it up."—Chicago Tribune.

Special 15 Day Offer

of Reliable Painless Dentistry

My best 22 karat Gold Crown $5.00
Bridge Work of all kinds $5.00
Gold Fillings $2.00
Gold and Platinum Alloy Fillings $1.00
Whalebone Rubber Plates, the kind that lasts for a lifetime $12.50

Painless Extracting Free where contract is made for new work.

My guarantee for 20 years stands back of every piece of work. You have known me for the past 20 years as being on the square. I never have, nor ever will sell out my office and desert my patients to strangers. You will always find me here to attend to your wants. If you're going to have work done, do it now and save money. Come in anyhow and let's talk it over. It will not cost you a cent for advice. Look for the sign of the BIG TOOTH.

Dr. Watterson

The Painless Dentist — 115 South Fourth Street

TODAY'S ODDEST STORY

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., March 1.—The traffic policeman was off the job and pedestrians who crossed Market street were taking their lives in their hands. Jitney buses were speeding without thought of foot passengers.

Willis Polk of New York and San Francisco, an architect, wanted to cross.

Here was his method:

He stepped briskly to the curbstone, extracted a nickle from his pocket, held it aloft and looked like a customer. Every jitney bus stopped.

Polk walked safely across the street.

NEW IDEA IN TABLOIDS IS SEEN IN "NOBODY HOME"

Interior of Beautiful Bungalow With Four Practical Rooms in Plain View Second Scene of Show

"Nobody Home," which opened Sunday at the Majestic, is the most original of any tabloid ever produced by Boyle Woolfolk. The second scene shows the interior of a beautiful bungalow. Four practical rooms are in plain view to the audience, three downstairs and one upstairs. The many comical situations that can be staged in such a scene are unlimited and the authors have taken full advantage of the opportunities. The kitchen, parlor, reception hall and spare room upstairs are all utilized at the same time to bring out the ludicrous situations. Among the features in the show are the shadowgraph and the burlesque opera finale. The cast is headed by Harry T. Shannon, remembered as the featured comedian with "The Tenderfoot" last season, in which he scored heavily.

The wise man is also one who knows when to change his mind.

CREAM FOR CATARRH OPENS UP NOSTRILS

Tells How To Get Quick Relief from Head-Colds. It's Splendid!

In one minute your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffling, blowing, headache, dryness. No struggling for breath at night; your cold or catarrh will be gone.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic healing cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothes the inflamed or swollen mucous membrane and relief comes instantly.

It's just fine. Don't stay stuffed-up with a cold or nasty catarrh—Relief comes so quickly.

FIRST RATE REASONABLE

WASHINGTON, March 1.—The interstate commerce commission has held reasonable the $1.62½ rate per hundred pounds on carloads of grape fruit and the $1.60 rate on fresh tomatoes from Jacksonville, and other rate on carloads of oranges and on grape fruit and oranges in mixed carloads, was held unreasonable to the extent that it exceeds the $1.62½ rate. The present minimum weight of 26,000 pounds of grape fruit and oranges was held unreasonable, in that the it exceeds the minimum of 24,000 pounds.

SOCKS FOR ALLIES

CHICAGO, March 1.—The last 2,000 pairs of 386,000 pairs of socks for soldiers in France made at Kankakee, near here, were shipped on their way today. The shipments have been going forward at this rate for a number of weeks.

TAX RETURN DAY TODAY

WASHINGTON, March 1.—If, perchance, you, gentle reader, are a dealer in opium or its dopey derivatives, you today are subject to a federal tax.

Moreover, if you are fortunate enough to be receiving an income large enough on which to make it worth while to dodge the tax collector, you should in honesty make a tax return to the federal officials.



Scene in Chauncey Olcott's New Comedy, "The Heart of Paddy Whack," La Crosse Theater Thursday March 4

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$1.00 Day Sale

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3rd

Kid Gloves, value to $1.50, at the pair $1.00

Long Chamoisette Gloves, 75c quality, at 2 pair for ... $1.00

Warner Corsets, $2.00 quality, in all sizes, at $1

Plain and fancy Brassieres, 35c quality, all sizes and styles, 4 for $1

Fancy Mounted Shell Back Combs and Barrettes, $1.00 values, at two for $1

Fancy Tipperary pattern Veils, value 75c, at two for $1

Trimmed Winter Hats for Ladies and Children, priced in two lots.

Two for .$1 Three for .$1

Ladies' Wool Hoods and Caps, value to $1.00, at 2 for $1

Choice lot of New SPRING HATS at $1.00

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Men's All Linen Handkerchiefs, one dozen for $1

Ladies' all Linen Embroidered and Initial Handkerchiefs, 35c quality, five for $1

Ladies' White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 4 dozen for $1

Men's White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 3 dozen for $1

Ladies' heavy Scotch Wool Gloves, $1.00 quality, 2 pair for $1

Wavy Hair Switches, 3 stems, $2.50 values, at $1

NECKWEAR, values to $2.00, at $1.00

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ST. FRANCIS PLANS HOSPITAL CHANGES TO COST $100,000

Four Story Buildings to Front Towards Tenth and Eleventh Streets at Market

NEW HOLY CROSS SCHOOL SOON

Old Structure at Thirteenth and Ferry Streets to Give Way to Modern Building Soon

Two additions will be made to the St. Francis hospital this season totaling an expenditure of approximately $100,000. One addition will be made to the hospital on Tenth street and the other will be on Eleventh street.

The Tenth street addition will be an operating wing. There will be three new operating rooms in the wing making a total, with the two, operating rooms which are now in the building, of five operating rooms. The wing will be a three story affair and will be equipped with an elevator, and most modern lighting arrangements.

Towards Eleventh street, another wing containing patient rooms will be built. The present chapel will be enlarged and made capable of accommodating more people. The building will be four stories high and will make the hospital capable of handling nearly twice the present number of patients at the same time. This wing also will be equipped with an elevator.

Brick, tile and concrete only will be used in the construction of the building and it will be as entirely fireproof as modern building methods are capable of making it. The contract has not yet been let but it has been intimated that only local competition will be asked.

New Polish School Planned

The present Holy Cross school at Thirteenth and Ferry streets, will be torn down and replaced with a new $16,000 structure this spring. The new school will be a strictly modern building and will be equipped with all improvements with a capacity of approximately 175 pupils.

The building will be a two story affair. On the first floor there will be four class rooms, each with a capacity of seating forty-five students. The building will be 66 feet long and 55 feet wide. In the second story there will be a large auditorium with a capacity of seating about 375 people. This auditorium is to be used for all parish purposes and entertainments, as sociables and the like.

Bowling Alleys Too

Bowling alleys, toilet rooms, a large modern kitchen, and steam heating plant will be placed in the basement which will be well lighted. It has been arranged to heat the parsonage with the same plant which heats the school and thus save much trouble and expense.

During the construction of the new building, the pupils will be accommodated in the old orphanage on Winnebago street between Ninth and Tenth streets. There are about a hundred pupils in the school at present.

The old building will be torn down immediately and excavations started for the new structure as soon as the ground thaws up.

Plans for the construction of the above buildings were drawn by Parkinson & Dockendorff.

A contract for a church in Bancroft, Iowa, amounting to $60,000, has also been let by them to Garfield Schwartz of Rochester, Minn. Mr. Schwartz was formerly of this city. He is making a success of the contracting business at Rochester, where he has done the work of the Mayo brothers.

Remodel Esch Home

One of the most artistic accomplishments in interior residence reconstruction in La Crosse is the rearrangement of the living and drawing rooms of the Congressman J. J. Esch home, 117 South Thirteenth street.

Formerly two rooms, a partition was removed, leaving but the one room. The placing of white oak beams in the front and rear parts of the room, running in opposite directions, gives a distinct mission style to the home.

The beams are seven inches deep, nine inches thick, and are placed three and a half feet apart. Decorators are adding the finishing touches to the room. The work was done by Contractor A. H. Mitchell, John Gannon and Rockwell Filkins.

F. A. REIMAN

THE FASHION SHOP

EXCLUSIVE STYLES FOR WOMEN. FIFTH AND MAIN STREET.

DOLLAR DAY OFFERINGS

LINGERIE WAISTS

An odd lot of Lace and Lingerie Waists, delightfully dainty patterns; a most unusual opportunity, values to $5.00, your choice for $1

SILK PETTICOATS

A number of Silk Petticoats in a variety of colors. The very best of styles. Always sold previously as high as $4.50. Only a few to be sold for $1

WOOL SKIRTS

An odd lot of Wool Skirts in a good selection of designs and materials. These Skirts formerly sold for as high as $7.50, your choice for $1

COATS

We offer an odd lot of Coats of various materials and patterns, most unusual values. Only a few of these splendid Coats to be sold Wednesday for $1

FUR NECK PIECES

A small lot of odd Fur Neck Pieces that we don't want to carry over. We formerly sold them for as high as $10.00, to clean them up we offer them on Dollar Day for $1.00



Bewitching Spring Wearing Apparel

We are proud of our showing of the newest wearables for Spring. And we have reason to be. Mr. Reiman has just returned from New York and has brought with him all that is latest and best in

Coats, Suits, Dresses

Not a new idea but what is reflected in our stock. There are the quiet subdued colors and designs, there are odd effects in cut and trimming, there are the daring color combinations and all of the many unusual features in design, colors and trimming that go to make this Spring's offerings a never ending delight to the woman who would be well dressed. You are urged to view our display of these stylish garments.

Redfern Corsets

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New Spring Models

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If you wear front lace corsets, then for the good of your figure wear the new front lace. It is to be found in

REDFERN CORSETS

Certain clever points in construction make the new REDFERN models the ideal front lace corset for fashion and health. New spring models both front and back laced are now ready.

Every corset fitted by expert corsetiere and guaranteed to give satisfaction.

EXIT IMPRACTICAL LOVE OF OUR GRANDFATHERS BEFORE "NEW LOVE"

CHICAGO, March 1.—At last it's defined, and with no possibility of mistake—the "new love." Here are some of the epigrammatic explanations given by Miss Dorothy Meadows and Mrs. Harry D. Hammer of why present day beings should discard the "old, impractical methods of the love of our grandfathers," for the new love which is "free from sentimental rubbish and romantic twaddle."

"The new love is different from passion: in it the man and woman are mated mentally, morally and spiritually as well as physically."

"The new love implies fidelity on both sides; the old idea that a man cannot be satisfied with a marital dog trot but must have his fling occasionally has no place in the new love."

"In the new love, woman no longer is the mere cautering ground for man."

"In the new love there will be none of the old courtship of man by women which has as much to do with real love as has the pursuit of a chicken by a hawk."

NEW SANITARY CODE

ALBANY, N. Y., March 1.—The sanitary code pertaining to barber shops and other public places goes into effect today and will be enforced by the health officers. The use of alum and other devices for stopping the flow of blood in stick form is forbidden. Such material must be applied in powdered form. The headrest of the tonsorial chair must be covered with a clean towel, and all razors, and shaving mugs must be thoroughly washed after using on one customer and before beginning operations on another. Common drinking cups and towels are forbidden. The regulations pertaining to the conduct of manicure emporiums are similar to those directed at barber shops. The health department of the city must file monthly reports to the state board of health on how the ordinances are being carried out.

BADGERS BESATEN IN WATER

CHICAGO, March 1.—Northwestern university swimmers had little trouble in defeating the cardinals, 28 to 21.

SALOONIST SLAIN BY CITY BANDIT

Would-be Robber Then Shoots Pedestrian and Is Overpowered by Messenger Boy

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., March 1.—The heart of Minneapolis' business district was the scene of a murder late Saturday night, when John C. Andren, saloonkeeper at 24 North Fourth street, was shot and killed by Alfonso Clancy, 22 years old. Robbery was the motive.

Shoots Pedestrian

Fleeing toward Hennepin avenue after the murder, Clancy also shot John D. Roberts through the left shoulder, the bullet passing a few inches over the heart. Roberts will recover.

Ordered to Put Up Hands

Andren was playing cards with several companions in the rear of his saloon when Clancy entered and ordered all to throw up their hands "Quit your kidding," Andren replied but when he realized the seriousness of the situation he grappled with Clancy.

Liquor Up to Senate

ST. PAUL, March 1.—(Special.)—E. E. Lobeck's bill to make all of Minnesota "dry" by statutory prohibition on January 1, 1915, will be sent out Monday by the state senate temperance committee without recommendation. This was agreed to after brief consideration in the committee. Senator Lobeck explained his bill as the product of experience and drawn from the prohibition laws of eleven states. Senator J. L. Vermilya moved that it be recommended to pass, but Senator F. D. Vibert of Cloquet, a county optionist, objected, and said that while he was willing to send the bill out, he could not vote for it.

Prisons for Women

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 1.—(Special.)—Minnesota's lawmakers who visited the prison at Stillwater yesterday returned to St. Paul practically agreed in their support of the bill authorizing construction of a building for the women inmates. Remodeling of the old prison as a place for the women did not gain much favor. It was the general impression that the structure should be sold and special quarters built.

Need Money for Plague

MINNEAPOLIS, March 1.—(Special.)—"If the legislature does not make the $750,000 appropriation asked for anti-tuberculosis work in Minnesota for the coming two years, Ramsey and Hennepin counties will suffer greatly by being unable to get state aid for the care of their tubercular patients, work on the construction of county sanatoria in the state will have to be stopped, and the institutions already operating will have to raise the money themselves if they keep their institutions going," Dr. Robinson Bosworth, executive secretary of the state advisory commission, declared yesterday.

PEOPLE TO PROFIT BY U. S. SCIENTIST'S VICTORY OVER TRUST EXPERTS

WASHINGTON, March 1.—A government scientist has defeated the best of the world's experts, in the employ of the great Standard Oil company, and the people of the United States, instead of a giant industrial combination will benefit.

Dr. Walter Rittman, chemical engineer of the bureau of mines, has invented a process to increase the production of gasoline from petroleum 200 per cent, and to manufacture toluol and benzol, the important bases for the manufacture of dyestuffs and high explosives, from crude petroleum.

Secretary of the Interior Lane asserts both processes will be so cheap that the United States must hereafter be considered a factor in the production of toluol and benzol, and of dyestuffs.

For several years the Standard Oil has had its experts working to make these discoveries.

The interior department will patent the Rittman processes and will license all manufactures to produce the fluids. Dr. Rittman will gain scientific fame but no monetary reward.

Under the Rittman discovery, the United States is independent of foreign nations, with regard to smokeless powder, the process guaranteeing necessary chemicals heretofore exclusively produced abroad.

MRS. MARY BOWEN DIES AT BURNS

BANGOR, Wis., March 1.—(Special.)—Following a short illness, caused by congestion of the lungs, Mrs. Mary Bowen died at her home at Burns Wednesday. Her father and mother and three sons survive. Funeral services and burial took place at Burns Friday.

Personals

Miss Lela Gahler of Rockland spent Saturday visiting friends here.

Harold Baebler returned to Madison Monday after visiting over Sunday with his parents.

D. Dayton, who had his foot crushed at Page's feed mill several weeks ago, is able to be out with the aid of crutches.

Miss Elizabeth Miller was a La Crosse caller Tuesday.

Miss Grace Halderson spent Sunday at Galseville visiting friends.

Miss Anna Neitzel visited over Sunday with her mother at Watertown.

Mrs. Charles Gerletti, Jr., came from West Salem Saturday visiting friends here.

George Streeton returned Tuesday morning from a visit with friends at Madison and Oshkosh.

The local high school basketball team played with the Onalaska highs here Saturday night. The local boys were victorious.

The Presbyterian Sewing circle met with Mrs. Winnie Bodmer on Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Lydia Cassel is ill with tonsilitis.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Peck held a family reunion at their home Sunday. Their son, Earl and family of Cashton and their daughter, Mrs. S. Steffen and baby of Winona, were present.

Jason Streeton went to Sparta on Tuesday to have an operation performed. He was accompanied by his mother.

Mrs. W. H. Page is visiting relatives at Chicago.

Mrs. Nellie Backus was a LaCrosse shopper Monday.

Mrs. Ethel Kissack Mar of Springfield, Sask., who was called to West Salem, to attend the funeral of her brother, spent several days here the first of the week visiting friends.

Mrs. Ursula Latsch spent the first part of the week with her niece, Mrs. Wendell McEldowney, at West Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wolf came from West Salem Tuesday and are making preparations for moving into their new home here.

Mrs. W. H. Preston entertained the Baptist choir at her home Saturday.

J. P. Evans who is ill with bronchial trouble, was removed to one of the La Crosse hospitals Wednesday.

BANGOR, WIS.

Mrs. David Jolivette of La Crosse, was a visitor at the hom her her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Evans, Wednesday.

Mrs. F. C. Witt and children and Miss Frieda Nisalke went to Dakota, Minn., Wednesday.

Joseph Hesselberg entertained the Senior class and teachers of the high school at a sleigh ride to his home at Rockland Wednesday evening. Supper was served and a fine time was had by all.

SUSPECT NABBED HERE

Earl H. Hotaling, arrested at a hotel here last night, is being held by the police, on a warrant from Green Bay, charging him with fraudulently selling insurance stock.

A strong mystery drama

"The Collingsby Pearls"

Two reel Eclair feature

King Baggot in

"Three Times and Out"

A comedy masterpiece.

"Treasure Seekers"

One big laugh.

A real 4 reel show.

Tuesday & Wednesday this week.

PAULINE BUSH in

"THE MEASURE OF A MAN"

A two reel north woods story.

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Last Time TONIGHT

THE LYRIC

Leithold's Bargains

$1.50 worth of Player Rolls for $1.00

3 Edison Blue Amberol Records for $1.00

5 Edison 4 minute Records for $1.00

$1.00 OFF the price of all Musical Instruments, Benches, Cabinets, Supplies, etc., for Dollar Day only.

Do not forget that we give you more for every dollar you spend with us for an Organ, Piano or Player Piano.

Used Pianos, $50.00 up. Players, $275.00 up.

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"LOLA"

A FIVE REEL WORLD FEATURE.

This story is one of the most remarkable ever put on a screen—the story of a girl whose soul was dead but whose body still lived. This Shubert play will be here

All Seats Ten Cents

Monday and Tuesday

10 Cents to All

THE CASINO

Starting time, 2:00, 3:30, 7:00, 8:30 and 9:40.

WEDNESDAY, MAR. 3 IS

$DOLLAR DAY$

AT

PETER NEWBURG'S

LA CROSSE'S LARGEST CLOTHING HOUSE.

DOLLAR BARGAINS WEDNESDAY ONLY

Thread Silk Hose, brown only, 35c value, 6 pair for $1.00

50c Silk Ties, 3 for $1.00

$1.50 Spring weight Union Suits, Wednesday for $1.00

Any $1.50 Pleated Manhattan or Wilson Shirt in the house, Dollar Day only at $1.00

50c White Unlaundered Shirts, while they last, 6 for $1.00

Rattan and Brown Karatol large Suit Cases, ladies' or men's, special for Dollar Day at $1.00

Worsted Work Pants, special for Dollar Day, a pair $1.00

Step in and Look them Over.

NEW SPRING SUITS

Step in and Look them Over.

FROM SOCIETY BRAND AND HOUSE OF KUPPENHEIMER

SNAPPY PATTERNS JUST IN. HANDSOMELY MADE

$12.00, $15.00, $18.00, $20.00, $25.00, $28.00

Y.M.C.A. Handball

Class A

	W.	L.	Pct.
Erickson and Erickson	4	2	.667
Evans and Solie	8	4	.667
Kirchels and Benezet	9	6	.600
Bearmore and Bradish	2	4	.333
Ulrich and Daniels	1	5*	.167
Class B			
Dickens and Verket	7	2	.778
Gran and Gilley	8	4	.667
Schulze and Muenster	6	3	.667
Bonneville and Anderson	2	4	.333
Robinson and Robinson	1	11	.083
Class C			
Howe and Mills	6	0	1.000
Bentley and Taylor	10	8	.556
Barney and Dahlgren	3	3	.500
Cameron and Swenson	2	4	.333
Becksted and Corey	3	9	.250
Class D			
Zein and Roelig	9	3	.750
Verket and Beranek	9	6	.600
Maye and Westby	3	3	.500
Peterson and Bonneville	2	4	.333
Moore and Pieper	0	3	.000
Hankerson and Watkins	0	3	.000

BILLIARD CHAMPIONSHIPS

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., March 1.—The National Amateur Billiard championship association began at the Union League club here today a series of games for the Class A tournament championship.

ITALIAN DRIVER WINS GRAND PRIX

D. Resta Wins Race at the Panama-Pacific Exposition with Wilcox in Second Place

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., March 1.—On a track dangerously slippery with rain that fell during more than four hours of the contest, D. Resta, an Italian driver engaged in his first American race, won the Grand Prix automobile race at the Panama-Pacific exposition on Saturday. His time was 7 hours, 7 minutes.57½ seconds. At the finish line he was three laps in the lead. Howard Wilcox, in No. 26, was second, time 7:14:36, and Hughie Hughes, No. 28, was third, time 7:21:46; Louis Disbrow, No. 12, fourth, time 7:31:38, and Gil Anderson, No. 5, fifth, time 7:34:51. There is some question as to fourth and fifth places which can only be adjusted by a recheck of the entire score.

Before the race was two-thirds over Resta went out in front and stayed there, warding off rushes of Wilcox and Hughes, who fought valiantly for the leadership. Resta won $3,000, the other four named dividing $4,000.

Y.M.C.A. Billiards

Class A

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Fox (67)	6	0	1.000
Young (140)	2	0	1.000
Miller (89)	7	2	.778
Mills (94)	7	4	.636
Huebner (150)	4	5	.444
Beisel (72)	6	9	.400
Schweizer (300)	3	6	.333
Dahlgren (127)	3	10	.231
Ulrich (66)	0	3	.000
Class B			
Jacobs (44)	17	7	.708
Muenster (46)	15	8	.652
Bearmore (52)	11	6	.647
Weisse (52)	6	4	.600
Howe (45)	7	6	.538
Peterson (52)	10	10	.500
Schulze (46)	4	6	.400
Hyde (56)	1	2	.333
Tuteur (53)	5	13	.278
Kline (52)	3	10	.231
Fuller (54)	0	5	.000
Class C			
Puckett (35)	17	6	.739
Montague (40)	11	6	.647
Richter (37)	6	4	.600
Boyd (34)	3	2	.600
Moore (34)	6	5	.545
Robb (40)	3	3	.500
Pieper (35)	2	4	.333
Foster (42)	3	8	.273
Mayo (28)	1	7	.125
Ehrman (28)	1	7	.125

BOSTON FANS LOOK FOR ANOTHER FLAG

Bean Town Bugs Already Are Counting the Chances of the Braves and Red Sox

AMERICANS HAVE EDGE NOW

Red Sox Appear at Present to Be in the Best Trim; Braves' Condition Uncertain

(By a United Press Staff Correspondent.)

BOSTON, March 1.—To say that baseball fans in Boston are already figuring to pack the stands in Bean Town for next season's world's series is putting it pretty strong, and the fans elsewhere concede Bostonians the right to "figure" all they want, but it's a fact that grows stronger every day. Taking all in all, from a viewpoint at this end of the line, both teams appear to have A-1 chances of leading at the end of the 1915 season.

Of the two the Red Sox look to be in better trim than the Nationals, though the Braves are toting the world championship pennant.

The Braves' chances this year, all around the circuit, are popularly supposed to be of the best. The team can still be considered a young one. The acquisition of Sherwood Magee will prove a great advantage both in the infield and at the plate, but, getting under the surface, there are many things to be considered. For instance:

Evers' condition cannot be forecast with any certainty, despite the sunny statements that he is fully recovered, and is the same as ever. It is well known that the star second baseman hasn't the strength physically, that he works entirely on his nerves. When the season of 1914 was finished Evers was taken with a heavy cold and during the early part of the winter suffered from pneumonia. With the exception of a few weeks, he has spent the past winter at a camp in northern New York. He is now down south getting the remainder of his health back. Should Evers' condition prevent him from starting off with the team the Braves will be at a sad disadvantage at the jump. Some figure that the confidence of the young players will offset this, but it is extremely doubtful.

Another gloomy outlook is the fact that Bill James may hold out, as he already has threateped. Should this actually be the case the Braves will lose one of their best twirlers. It was "Big" Bill that did such effective work in last year's series. With him on the other side of the fence Stallings will have to travel some distance to secure another his equal. Still another point for consideration arises. Will Stallings be able to hold this bunch of youngsters in leash as he did last year? At that time they were a bunch, really untried, without teamwork and on a club that had been traveling in the cellar for several seasons. Under Stallings they played to the highest notch in the baseball world and if he can continue to hold them, there appears to be little doubt but that the Braves will give a desperate fight to any team that comes near them.

The Red Sox will open with practically the same lineup as they had at the close of last season. Very little has been doing in their camp the past winter. All the "doing" has been with the other clubs and, taking these changes into consideration, especially the Athletics, the Red Sox appear stronger than the year they won the big series. At the start of the 1914 season the Sox showed a decided weakness both at the bat and on the first bag. It caused a small eruption and toward the end of the season Carrigan had the team working in fine shape. The trip around the globe during the winter of 1913-14 is blamed for causing Tris Speaker to fall down in his batting until the middle of last season. He picked up then and finished going strong. The addition of a "regular" first baseman, in Hollitzel, did more to put the club on its feet than anything else. The fact that the present lineup has worked the best part of a season together raises the hopes of the fans to the extent of picturing the 1915 American league and possibly the championship pennant floating in the Massachusetts bay breezes.

MANY PEOPLE SEE SKI TOURNAMENT

From a standpoint of attendance, the ski tournament at Pammel's hill south of the city yesterday, was a success, although mismanagement on the part of the jumpers failed to make their renumerations large.

Scores of automobiles and carriages and more than three hundred persons on foot witnessed the sport. Olo Bjerka, Christ Bjerka, Aksel Oss and Carl Laum, professionals, were those jumping.

Olo Bjerka, Chicago, made the record of the day with a leap of 92 feet. According to the jumpers the slide was not constructed for long leaps. Following several successful leaps, a dozen or more failed to stand on their feet following the leap.

TAX ON HOSPITALS IS NOW PROPOSED

MADISON, Wis., March 1.—(Special.)—The taxation of all hospitals, homes and asylums, where a fee is charged for the care of the patient is proposed in a bill that has just been reported by the assembly committee on revision to the house. The bill which is offered by Assemblyman Hart of Oshkosh will be referred to a committee of the legislature for consideration at tonight's meeting.

In explaining the bill Assemblyman Hart said today that many of the hospitals are not taxed because they are said to be charitable institutions. He illustrated this by saying that in the city of Oshkosh there are two hospitals but a few blocks apart. One, he said, was a private hospital and the other was not. One paid heavy taxes, he declared, and the other paid none.

Another bill by Assemblyman Hart which will be sent to a committee of the legislature tonight for consideration provides that the amount of church land exempt from taxation be reduced from ten acres to one acre. He said that this bill would discourage the churches in being the holders of large tracts of property. Under the terms of his measure where a church had property in excess of one acre it would be taxed.

ROOKIES AND REGULARS

MARLIN, Texas.—The full squad of Giants, numbering around fifty, today started real training. The veterans, including Matthewson, Marquard, Meyers, Doyle and the rest, arrived here last night.

NEW YORK.—Manager Bill Donovan and his squad are today speeding southward to Savannah, Ga., where they will be joined in a few days by the regular battery of men who have been boiling out at Hot Springs, Ark.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas. — The Cleveland Indians arrived here for spring training today, finding weather excellent, although a bit cool.

GULFPORT, Miss.—Under skies that threatened rain, Manager Jennings, led his recruits and a few regulars out for their initial practice today.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va. — Fifteen Washington rookies and regulars tumbled out of their bed early today in the clear, fine Virginia morning air, for their first practice.

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla.—Three Phillies, Luderus, Alexander and Killifer, joined lonesome Mayer here. They will be the reception committee to welcome Pat Moran and his crew on their way by rail from Jacksonville.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla.—After 77 hours of strenuous deck walking, the Athletics big fond good-bye to their shipmates, the Dodgers, this morning, and started for training quarters in the suburbs.

AUGUSTA, Ga.—Rebel Oakes and the first detachment of Pitt-Feds, were expected to reach here late today for spring practice. Everything will be given final touches in preparation for them.

MACON, Ga.—The champion Boston Braves are expected here either today or tomorrow for their annual spring wrestle with Old Man Condition. Manager Stallings will come over from his Haddock home to supervise the work.

PASO ROBLES, Cal.—Following invasions at San Jose and Frisco by the regulars and rookies, respectively, the White Sox resumed operations here today.

TAMPA, Fla.—Full of spryness and pep, the Cubs were to start their first day of spring work here today. Superstitious members of the squad declared it was a good omen—and appropriate—that a Mr. Bear and a Mr. Wolfe should have been among the reception committee here.

WALTER WILL PLAY WITH WHALES OR FARM SAYS GILMORE

CHICAGO, March 1. — Walter Johnson, according to President Gilmore of the Federal league, is coming to pitch for the Whales next summer. Gilmore and the Chicago delegation which attended the Buffalo meeting, were back on the job here today. Gilmore claimed that "developments" in the past two days, have convinced him that Johnson either will pitch for the Chiefs or go back to his Coffeyville, Kas., farm for the summer.

SPORTS

HIGH SCHOOL MEN REPEAT BY HANDING DEFEAT TO MADISON

Horne's Tossers Win Their Second Game from the Capital City Team by 18 to 8 Score

TIGHT GUARDING FEATURES GAME

Madison Men Are Able to Make but Three Field Baskets During the Game

For the second time this season La Crosse high school Saturday won from the Madison high basketball team. The score was 18 to 8. Tight guarding and hard luck kept the capital city boys from scoring. At the end of the first half the score was 12 to 4 in favor of La Crosse, but at the beginning of the second period the Madison team rallied and made two baskets. Horne's men did not score until late in the half.

Zeisler made a basket during the first minute of play and followed it in a few minutes with another. The game progressed slowly for the next few minutes, neither side scoring until Wojahn slipped one in over the Madison guard's finger tips.

Fay and Kulcynski each made another basket in the first half while Fuller of Madison made one field basket and Gill made two points on fouls.

Tighter basketball was played on both sides in the second frame, the teams working together better than in the first. Not so many fouls were called but time had to be taken out five times for injuries to men on both teams. Zeisler scored another field basket and two free throws in this half and Wojahn slipped in with two baskets in succession. Gill and Parr of Madison each made one field basket. Layman was put in in place of Wojahn in the last few minutes and Bruha replaced Kelly at guard.

The lineup:

La Crosse—Zeisler (captain), f; Wojahn, Layman, f; Fay, c; Kulcynski, g; Kelly, Bruha, g.

Madison—Parr, f; Sweet, f; Gill, c; Fuller, g; Weidenback, g.

The Advanced Sophomores defeated the Freshmen by a score of 19 to 4 in the preliminary. Superior team work on the part of the Sophs was responsible for the victory. The score stood 4 to 2 in favor of the upper classmen at the end of the first half.

A reception and dance was given after the game.

GOOD SCORES MADE IN FIRST WEEKLY MEET OF GUN CLUB

Frank Schwalbe, Jr., Lands in First Place with 49 of 50 Birds Broken

The beginning, not the end of a perfect day, greeted the sharpshooters of the La Crosse Gun club yesterday morning as they gathered at the club's range on the north side for the first weekly shoot of the season.

Frank Schwalbe, Jr., demonstrated that little lapse of several months has had little deteriorating effect on his shooting ability as he broke 49 of 50 birds shot at. C. C. Mitchell was at his heels with a score of 48. J. A. Bartl, Fred Dittman and W. Spence tied at third place with scores of 44.

The glint of the blinding sun on the barrels of the pieces hindered many from making better scores.

The scores:

	Shot At.	Broke.
F. Schwalbe	50	49
C. C. Mitchell	50	48
J. A. Bartl	50	44
Fred Dittman	50	44
W. Spence	50	44
C. F. Sutor	50	43
A. L. Moll	50	40
W. A. Wager	50	39
A. J. Roberge	50	33
H. B. Bozard	15	7

BADGERS OVERWHELM MINNESOTA TOSSERS

MADISON, Wis., March 1.—Playing a fast game of basketball, Coach Meanwell's men came back strong against Minnesota Saturday night, defeating the northerners by a score of 31 to 7.

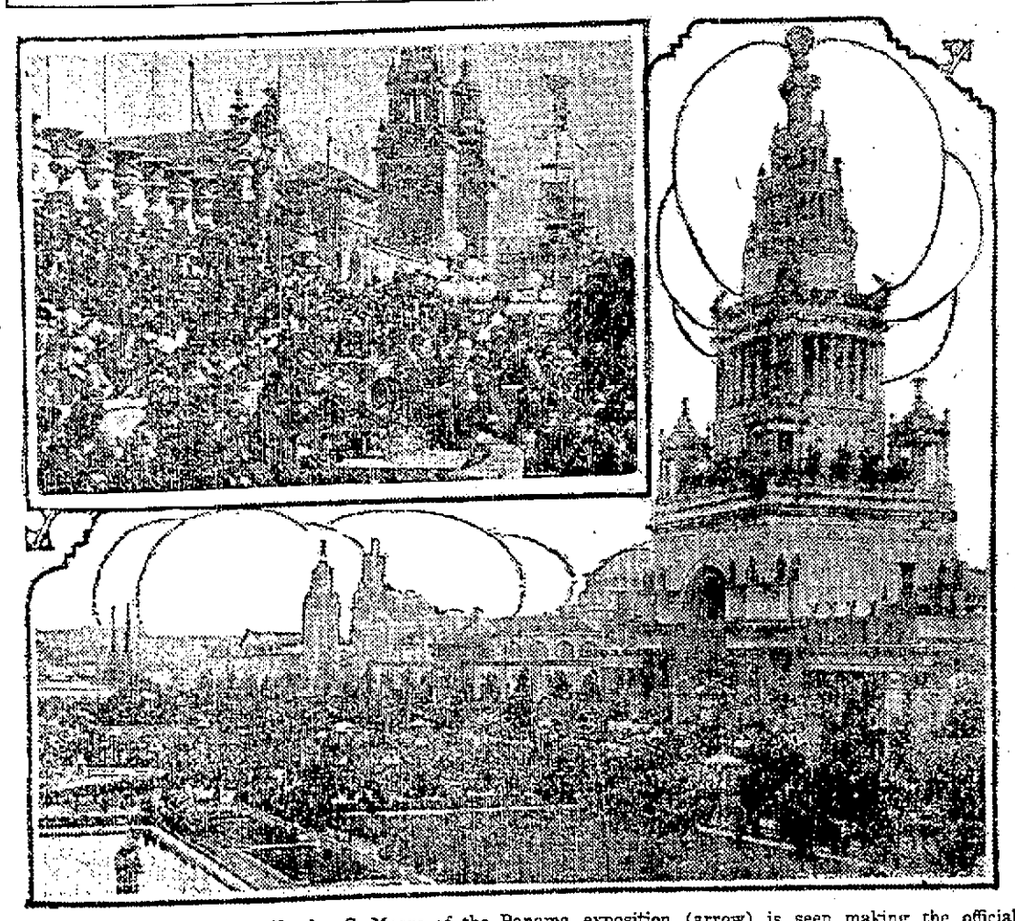
The Badgers started out with a burst of speed and within a few minutes of play every man on the Wisconsin team had registered a basket. The half ended with the score 20 to 5 in favor of Wisconsin.

In the second half Coach Meanwell used five substitutes—Thomas, Napieienski, Floden, Brown and Anderson.

CLABY AT HUDSON GO

CHICAGO, March 1.—Jimmy Claby and Manager Larney Lichtenstein will be at the ringside at Hudson tomorrow night to challenge the winner of the ten round bout between Mike Gibbons and Eddie McGoorty. Lichteistein announced today. Claby wants to scrap Gibbons over the long route.

PANAMA EXPO IN FULL BLAST; PICTURES FROM 'FRISCO'S FAIR



At the left, President Charles C. Moore of the Panama exposition (arrow) is seen making the official opening day address, February 20. The other picture, also taken during the opening day of the exposition, shows the big crowds on the grounds. In the foreground is seen the Tower of Jewels, the dominating piece of architecture at the fair.

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Toilet Soap, bar	.04
Sal Soda, 2 lbs.	.04
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Talcum Powder, reg. 10c can	.08
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Baking Powder, Calumet, can	.09
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	$1.00

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Peas, per can	.08
Canned Pumpkin, can	.08
Rasins, 12 oz. pkg.	.09
Snyder's Beans, large size	.18
Lion Brand Beans	.09
Hominy, per can	.09
Cocoa, ½ lb can	.23
Bakers Choc. ¼ lb. cake	.08
	$1.00

Combination No. III

Sugar, 4 lbs.	$ .25
Oatmeal, pkg.	.09
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1 large bottle Bluing	.10
1 lb. Bulk Starch	.05
1 qt. Cranberries	.05
1 lb. Fancy Seedless Raisins	.10
1 pkg. Samoset Crackers	.10
	$1.25

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1 lb. Coffee	$ .30
1 sack Salt	.10
1 box Matches	.05
1 qt. Cranberries	.05
3 bars Gal. Soap	.15
½ lb. Ginger Snaps	.05
1 bottle Bluing	.10
1 can Campbell's Beans	.10
1 can Peas	.10
1 can Corn	.10

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Who Discovered The North Pole?

Within the last few months considerable interest has been manifested by senators and congressmen in Washington, on the much mooted question of "Who Discovered the North Pole." Five bills have been introduced, one in the senate and four in the house, all aimed to adjust the polar contention and give official recognition to Dr. Cook. Several representatives have made speeches on the subject favorable to Dr. Cook, and for the information of the students who are writing essays on the subject, we are going to quote a few paragraphs from the Congressional Records containing extensions of remarks as voiced by some of our statesmen.

From the Congressional Record for February 10, 1915, page 3874, extention of remarks by Hon. Wm. J. Fields of Kentucky: Br. Fields opened his remarks by explaining why he was interested in the adjustment of the polar contention and quoted the bill which retired Civil Engineer Peary and gave him a pension.

It will be noticed that the above bill does not accredit Mr. Peary with having discovered the north pole, but with having reached the north pole. Therefore the resolution does not recognize Mr. Pearl as the discoverer of the pole, nor does it preclude Dr. Cook's claim that he discovered the pole on April 21, 1908, which was more than eleven months before Mr. Peary reached the pole according to the date given by Peary himself, which was April 6, 1909.

I am informed that some gentlemen have said on the floor of this house that congress is not concerned about this matter, and that it has no jurisdiction over same. In reply to this statement I desire to ask, if congress is not concerned about this matter, why, then, did it tender its thanks to Peary for his polar attainment? Nor did it stop at a vote of thanks, but by the same resolution it granted him a pension at $6,000 per annum for the remainder of his life, and by other governmental action he has been paid many thousand dollars out of the public treasury during his various leaves of absence from the naval service, much of which time was spent in polar explorations. This enormous sum, the thanks of congress for his polar attainment, and the pension granted him was an admission and an implied acknowledgment on the part of congress of its interest in, and jurisdiction over, the polar efforts and achievements or controversies of American citizens.

It can not be argued in either justice or sincerity that Mr. Peary should receive the special favors of congress for his polar attainment because he happened to be fortunate enough to be in the United States navy. First, no man would dare contend that a naval officer should be given special advantage over a private citizen in a civil pursuit which was not a part of his official duty, and, second, the recommendation of the secretary of the navy on the resolution which acknowledged Mr. Peary's claim for Arctic explorations recommends that he is not entitled to such recognition for naval services, but throws him solely upon his claim as a private citizen for Arctic explorations. I submit copy of the report of the secretary of the navy, just referred to, which reads as follows:

Navy Department,
Washington, Feb. 10, 1910.

To the Chairman Committee on Naval Affairs, House of Representatives:

My Dear Congressman—The receipt is acknowledged of your letter of the 8th instant, inclosing a bill (H. R. 19971) providing for the appointment of Commander Robert R. Peary rear admiral in the navy as an additional number in grade, and placing him upon the retired list, and requesting for the committee the views and recommendations of the department thereon.

In reply I have the honor to inform you that Robert E. Peary entered the naval service of the United States as a civil engineer on October 26, 1881, and has been an officer of the navy continuously since that date, performing the duties required of a civil engineer under orders from the navy department, except when on leave.

During his service in the navy Civil Engineer Peary has been granted eight different leaves of absence abroad, for exploration, aggregating in all about sixteen years of his connection with the navy.

It would appear that the bill in question is framed for the purpose of rewarding Civil Engineer Peary for having reached the north pole; and while having successfully accomplished this self imposed task is most commendable and reflects great credit not only upon him but also upon the entire nation, his various exploring expeditions can not be regarded as having been conducted for a strictly military or naval purpose and for this reason it seems inappropriate to confer upon him a title for which his previous education, training and service have not fitted him.

It is therefore recommended that in the title of the bill and in the fourth line thereof the word 'commander" be changed to "civil engineer," the latter being Mr. Peary's correct official designation, and, further, that instead of appointing him a rear admiral and placing him upon the retired list as such, that he be retired as a civil engineer with the highest retired pay allowable to the rank of rear admiral under existing laws.

Faithfully yours,
G. VON L. MEYER.

Then, if one American citizen should receive congressional recognition for Arctic achievements, why should not another American citizen receive the same recognition and the same thanks if he can establish to the satisfaction of the Congress that he attained the same achievement, and attained it many months prior to the date that Mr. Peary claims to have done so? Dr. Cook announced to the world that he had reached the North Pole prior to the announcement of Mr. Peary that he had done so, and was the first citizen of his own or any other country to claim to have reached the long-sought goal. Dr. Cook says he will establish by expert testimony, if given an opportunity, his claim of priority in reaching the pole. He states that more than sixty Arctic explorers and scientific experts from different parts of the world have recognized him as the discoverer of the pole, and that not one Arctic explorer or scientific expert has disputed same, and that he is in possession of documents proving this acknowledgement; and these documents were written after the publication of the polar records of both himself and Peary. So, in view of the claim of Dr. Cook that each and all Arctic explorers who have spoken on the controversy have recognized him as the discoverer of the pole, it is, in my opinion, incumbent upon Congress to accord him the same treatment that it accorded Peary. It should give him an opportunity to establish his claim of priority by giving him and his witnesses a hearing before a committee of Congress; and if, after a thorough hearing that committee is convinced that Dr. Cook did reach the pole, he should then receive national recognition through the Congress of the United States, which would automatically establish his claim of priority, as there is no controversy between Cook and Peary as to the date each claims to have reached the pole. He is an American citizen the same as Peary, and should receive equal treatment at the hands of the American Congress. Justice demands that he be granted a hearing by the same Congress that gave Peary recognition, and a just public sentiment will sooner or later force such a hearing; and it is my contention that it should not be delayed, but should be granted while the expert witnesses who are familiar with the data and the facts and who are capable of passing upon the same and giving competent testimony are obtainable. And in this connection I make the contention that the weight of expert computations on the observations of both Cook and Peary is in favor of Cook. As a basis of Peary's claim in this regard I submit copy of a letter of Hon. O. H. Tittman, superintendent of the Coast and Geodetic Survey, which reads as follows:

Department of Commerce,
United States Coast and Geodetic Survey,
Washington, March 4, 1914.

Mr. E. N. Norton,
6952 Harvard Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

Sir:

The computations of Mr. Peary's work were made by Messrs. Hugh C. Mitchell and Charles R. Duvall, who were employed for the purpose by Mr. Peary. These computations were, therefore, not made officially by the Coast and Geodetic Survey, although this office has always vouched for the accuracy of the work done by these two men.

Respectfully,
O. H. TITTMAN, Superintendent.

It will be noted from the above letter that the observations of Mr. Peary were computed by only two gentlemen who were not acting officially for the Coast and Geodetic Survey in their computations of Peary's observation but were paid for same by Mr. Peary himself. I do not question the integrity of these gentlemen or the correctness of their computations of Peary's observations, but in connection with their report I wish to call attention to the fact that the observations of Dr. Cook were computed by Mr. Clark Browne, associate member of the American Society of Civil Engineers and Mr. Browne's computations were approved by David R. Lee, civil engineer, B. S., Cornell University, 1889, also a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers; J. M. Taylor, M. E., Cornell University, 1888; E. G. Raynor, civil engineer, B. S., New York University, 1903; R. C. Holt, civil engineer, and J. C. Green, associate member American Society of Civil Engineers, Michigan Agricultural college, 1901. All five of these gentlemen are scientific experts from different parts of the country, and four of them were not then and are not now acquainted with Dr. Cook. Therefore if we accept the report of the two scientific experts who computed the observations of Mr. Peary, we should also accept the report of the five scientific experts who computed the observations of Dr. Cook, and who show by their computations that Cook reached the pole.

Not only do the principles of justice demand that Dr. Cook be given a hearing and that this controversy be settled for all time, but our educational interest demand its settlement. The students of history of the present and future are entitled to have the controversy settled while the claimants are both living and each able to defend his case, so that they may not be misled by history or left to guess at the facts.

It is my opinion and my contention that the controversy should be settled and settled right. And in the hope that it may lead to that end I am introducing the following resolution:

Be it resolved, etc., That the thanks of Congress, be, and the same are hereby, tendered to Dr. Frederick A. Cook for his Arctic explorations, resulting in his reaching the North Pole.

This resolution is practically identical with Section 2 of the resolution extending the thanks of Congress to Mr. Peary, and if it should be passed by Congress it will automatically settle the question of priority of discovery in favor of Dr. Cook. I introduce this resolution in the hope that it may lead to a full hearing and proper and final settlement of the question in controversy. If Dr. Cook can establish his claim that he reached the North Pole, as he says he can, he should not only be recognized by the Congress and the country as the discoverer of the North Pole, but should be commended by the world for the brave, fearless, and untiring fight which he has waged for his rights.

To be continued in Tuesday's Tribune. On account of lack of space we are unable to finish this article today but tomorrow we will publish quotations from extensions of remarks by two other representatives, in the Congressional Records.

Watch The Tribune for further information regard the essay contest.

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WOLF IS KILLED BY NORTH SIDER ON CAMPBELL FARM

John McKenzie Shoots Great Grey Beast Which Has Terrorized Salem Farmers

What is thought to be one of the last of the steadily decreasing band of wolves in La Crosse county was shot yesterday by John J. McKenzie, 1440 Avon street, on his farm in the town of Campbell. The wolf, a great shaggy beast, is thought by Mr. McKenzie to be the leader of the pair which last winter terrorized farmers in the vicinity of West Salem.

The animal was seen yesterday morning by farmers crossing the McKenzie farm. Mr. McKenzie was notified over the telephone and he and his sons, Archie and Ralph, went hunting immediately. The wolf was sighted by Mr. McKenzie about 11 o'clock and was brought down with one shot.

DOLPHIN FUNERAL HELD

The funeral of Lucien Dolphin, former resident of French Island, who died Friday in St. Paul, was held at 2 o'clock this afternoon from the Caledonia Street Methodist church, Rev. M. E. Fraser officiating. Members of John Flynn post, G. A. R., of which Mr. Dolphin was a member, attended the services. Burial was made at La Crescent.

VALUABLE SILKS PASS CITY

Silk to the value of more than half a million dollars passed through the city at 3 o'clock this afternoon over the Milwaukee. The train was made up of eight cars.

DISMISS PLEA

WASHINGTON, March 1.—A. Y. Jamieson's appeal from an adverse decision in his suit for $214,000 damages against the United States Farm Land company of St. Paul, was dismissed today by the supreme court. He claimed a brokerage fee for selling San Joaquin, California, land.

Whale Not Fast Swimmer.

The whale's progress through the water is limited to ten or twelve miles an hour.

GERMANY REPLIES IN FRIENDLY TONE

BERLIN, via The Hague, March 1.—Germany today delivered to United States Ambassador Gerard her reply to the last American note. From high authorities it is learned that the tone of the reply was most friendly.

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North Side Briefs

O'Neil Shoe Store. Dollar mdse.

Miss Caroline Limpert, 227 Mill street, entertained at a six o'clock dinner Sunday. Those present were the Misses Delia Ostrander and Lottie Hughes of Hokah, and Caroline limpert and Mrs. Henry Liesenfeld.

The Misses Delia Ostrander and Lottie Hughes of Hokah, are the guests of Miss Caroline Limpert, of 227 Mill street.

Miss Lucile Hettman, 1432 Kane street, entertained a party of friends at her home Saturday evening, the occasion being her birthday.

John Flynn Relief corps entertained the post at a six o'clock dinner on Tuesday evening at their hall, 732 Mill street.

Mrs. T. Doebert, Preston, is visiting north side friends.

Miss Ella Picha, 1637 Loomis street, is ill at her home with la grippe.

Mrs. Martin Hickey, 1346 Charles street, left last night for Chicago to attend the funeral of a relative.

Mrs. Richard Cooms has returned to her home in St. Paul, after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wren, 1615 Prospect street.

Miss Maude O'Brien returned to Stoddard after a visit at the home of Mrs. Katherine McCarty, 1426 Gillette street.

Miss Veronica Murphy, who spent the past few days at her home, 1033 Charles street, has returned to Kilbourn, Wis.

Fred Rouse, who spent Sunday at his home, 814 Rublee street, has returned to Minneapolis.

Erick Erickson has returned to Savanna, after a few days' visit at his home, 1727 George street.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Boyle have returned to their home in Minneapolis after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Boyle, 1522 Kane street.

Mrs. J. Muilender, Tomah, is visiting at the home of P. J. Larkin, of 529 Caledonia street.

Mrs. R. A. Taylor, 932 Rose street, left last night on a business trip to Chicago.

Mrs. Charles Rimmert is confined to her home, 512 Avon street, with tonsilitis.

The Misses Vera and Vesta Higbee have returned to their home at 733 Caledonia street, after spending the weekend with friends at Barre Mills.

Miss Pauline Braun, Cassville, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Dwyer, 1548 George street.

Clyde Nelson, Arthur McGuire and Orman Rewey left yesterday for Dubuque, where they will visit friends for a few days.

Miss Mable Gunderson, 1022 Avon street, is confined to her home by illness.

HORSES FOR WAR ZONE

Nineteen carloads of horses from Montana and the Dakotas, the pick of the ranges, passed through the city at 6 o'clock this morning over the Milwaukee road bound for the war zone in Europe. The number of horses approximated two hundred.

CALHOUN CHILD DIES

Kenneth Calhoun, aged 5 years, of Cashton, died yesterday morning at a local hospital. The body was taken to Cashton last night for burial.

JOHN MULDER'S HAT MAY BE THROWN TOO

Another hat is today on the edge of the ring in the mayoralty race already to be hurled into the center according to gossips at the city hall and on the North side. John Mulder is said to be the fourth aspirant for the honors. Mr. Mulder told The TRIBUNE this afternoon he is undecided as to what course he will pursue. "Things don't look just right to me yet," he said.

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COLONIAL PARTY HELD AT TOMAH

Ladies of Shakespeare Club in Costumes of Revolutionary Epoch Enjoy Party

TOMAH, Wis., March 1.—(Special.)—The annual patriotic party of the Shakespeare club was held Friday at the home of Mrs. W. Warren. Colonial costumes were worn, the ladies presenting a pretty group in powdered wigs and old lace, with great, great grandmother's hoops. Four wore male attire, representing George Washington, Miles Standish and two as colored servants.

A very interesting program was presented. Miss Inez Corrigan recited, "How Grandma Danced the Minuet;" a quintet of colonial darkies, three women and two men, sang a number of southern plantation songs; there was an old-fashioned spelling bee and a history contest.

A display of colonial relics proved interesting—everyday things of the time, from fancy snuff box to snuffers, candle moulds and volumes umes of the day. A copy of the Ulster County Gazette, published on the day of George Washington's funeral and containing an account of it, was studied with interest enhanced by the fact that most of its space was devoted to battles in the European war then in progress. The paper is the property of B. F. Locke, La Crosse, by whom it was loaned to the Shakespeare club.

CZAR OF CONEY LOSES JOB

ALBANY, March 1.—Fred Lundy, once the "Czar of Coney Island," had to quit his job as transfer tax appraiser today. Loss of the $4,000 political job is the third of the misfortunes which have overtaken Lundy. Once he owned oyster beds thought to be worth a million or so, and they proved worthless. Last year he was beaten at the primaries, in a race for office.

Another favorite sport with most folk is making mountains out of molehills.

ELABORATE DRESS FOR TABLOID SHOW

Harry Shannon and Big Company Make Lots of Fun at Majestic in "Nobody Home"

In what is without doubt the most elaborately staged tabloid musical comedy that has visited La Crosse this season, Harry Shannon and a large company opened what promises to be a most successful four days' run at the Majestic yesterday.

Harry Shannon is chief funmaker of the cast, but he has by no means a monopoly on the laugh production. Miss Mabel Walzer, in the character role of Rifka, kitchen mechanic; Pat Barrett as Filbert Fussie, crabby old gentleman in search of quiet, and Robert Earle as Reuben, a handy jack of all trades, vie with the leading man for honors as comedians.

There is life and movement to "Nobody Home" from the opening curtain to the last. It abounds with humorous situations and the individual specialties are diverting without exception. Several unique features brought salvos of applause, including a "shadowgraph" and a combination of vaudeville stunts toward the close of the show.

The production is one of Boyle Woolfolk's tabloids, and is even better planned for entertainment than Max Bloom's "Sunny Side of Broadway," which will be remembered as Woolfolk's last offering at the Majestic.

MACHINERY CONSOLIDATION

PATERSON, N. J., March 1.—The stockholders of the United Shoe Machinery corporation met here today to take action upon a proposed consolidation with the United States Shoe Machinery corporation. The corporation is the holder of all but a small portion of the stock of the company, which has been held out and may cause great trouble.

Fortunate is the man who really deserves his own good opinion of himself.

Personals

B. A. Yeomen class adoption, dance, Tuesday. Card party 2:30.

J. E. Ulrich, Winneconne, spent Saturday in the city on business.

Lee Owen has returned to his home in Durand, Wis., after spending a few days with friends and relatives in the city.

W. P. Latshaw, Durand, was a business caller in the city Saturday.

H. L. Schrup, Dubuque, spent Saturday in the city on business.

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A. Ingvaldson, Caledonit, Minn., was a caller in the city for a few hours Saturday.

Owen Skrabeck, Harmony, has returned to his home from a brief visit with friends and relatives in the city.

The annual meeting of the members of the Oak Grove Cemetery Association of La Crosse will be held in the office of the Secretary Wednesday, April 7, 1915, at 3 o'clock p. m.

G. W. Teal, St. Paul, called in the city Friday and Saturday on business.

George Watson, Seneca, was a business caller in the city Saturday.

G. W. Gilbert has returned to his home in Caledonia from a short visit with friends in this city.

The La Crosse County Hunting and Fishing association will hold a meeting at the court house Monday evening. Everyone invited.

A. K. Sundby, Harmony, spent Saturday on business in the city.

E. E. Ristau, North Freedom, transacted business in the city Saturday.

James I. Wilson, Mankato, was a business caller in the city for a few hours Saturday.

High grade public service, farm land, timber or municipal bonds, 5 per cent to 6 per cent. Nothing better. La Crosse Trust Co.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hammer, 217 South Twenty-third street, are the parents of a baby girl, born Saturday.

Mrs. George E. Stintzi, Minneapolis, is spending this week in the city with her mother, Mrs. G. J. Morgan on Vine street.

Phone Gateway City Transfer Co. for your next hack call. Phone 179.

Ralph Chryst is recovering from an operation for appendicitis at the La Crosse hospital.

WEATHER BULLETIN

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Boston	22	34	0
Charleston	42	50	.38
New York	22	36	0
Washington	24	42	0
Galveston	42	56	0
Jacksonville	48	..	.04
New Orleans	42	58	0
Chicago	28	32	0
La Crosse	12	32	0
Madison	20	32	0
Memphis	30	36	.12
Milwaukee	22	32	0
Bismarck	14	34	0
Huron	12	28	0
Kansas City	28	38	0
St. Paul	22	..	0
Boise	34	48	0
Denver	24	44	0
Helena	24	40	0
Miles City	10	36	0
Portland, Ore.	40	52	0

HARPALYCE FOR BELGIUM

NEW YORK, March 1.—The Belgium Relief commission ship Harpalyce, 8470 tons, will sail today loaded for Belgium with a relief cargo from the storehouses of South Brooklyn.

Dollar Day Bargains

Sterling Silver, Cut Glass, Jewelry, etc. High grade goods at prices way below cost. A chance for one day only to get the biggest and best bargains ever offered in La Crosse.

2 Heavy Weight Sterling Silver Tea Spoons, regular price 95c, each, for **$1.00**

Sterling Silver Cream Ladles, Cold Meat Forks, Bon Bon Spoons, Pickle Forks, etc., for **$1.00**

Prices on these range from $2.00 to $3.50.

1 set (6) Rogers Fruit Knives, regular price $1.75, for **$1.00**

1 set Silver Plated Nut Picks and Cracker, 12 picks, 2 crackers, for **$1.00**

Umbrellas, $2.00, $2.50 and $3.00 values **$1.00**

La Vallieres, gold filled, for **$1.00**

Solid Gold Neck Chain with Locket, Cross or Heart, for **$1.00**

Bracelets, 20 year gold filled, $2.50, $3.00 and $3.50, for **$1.00**

Mesh Bags up to $3.50 and $4.00 ..... **$1.00**

Cut Glass pieces up to $3.50 ..... **$1.00**

Cuff Links, gold filled, regular price $1.00, 35c pair, 2 pair for **$1.00**

12 Star Cut Water Glasses for **$1.00**

Silver Plated Vanities for **$1.00**

W. T. IRVINE

429 Main Street

BARGAINS for One Dollar

Six Best Plated Tea Spoons.

1 Alarm Clock and Silver Plated Berry Spoon.

1 Berry Spoon and 1 Cold Meat Fork.

2 Mt. Vernon or Mt. Cello Sterling Silver Tea Spoons.

1 Pie Server or 1 Bread Knife, silver plated handles.

Fine Cut Glass Olive Dish.

Pair Gold Filled Cuff Buttons, 1 Scarf Pin.

33 1-3 per cent Discount on all our Cut Glass.

50 per cent Discount on all Hand Painted China.

25 per cent Discount on any Watch in our stock.

25 per cent Discount on Jewelry.

20 per cent Discount on Sterling Silverware.

HELLFACH, Jeweler

TROTTMAN QUITS AS 'U. W.' REGENT RAPS VAN HISE

Milwaukeean Resigns as Head of Board and Criticizes Extravagance of University Men

MADISON, Wis., March 1.—(Special.)—James F. Trottman, Milwaukee, has resigned as president of the board of regents of the University of Wisconsin because he does not believe the university is willing to cooperate with the administration of Gov. E. L. Philipp in a program of economy and retrenchment.

Mr. Trottman filed his resignation and explanation with the board of regents Saturday. His term as a regent expired in February, but no one has been named to succeed him.

The disposition of the board to build a new physics building and the superstructure of the addition to the soils building, he points to as a specific example of extravagance, as well as a violation of an agreement with former Gov. Francis E. McGovern and lack of harmony on the part of President Charles R. Van Hise toward the "economy and retrenchment" program of the administration.

Responsibility for the financial policy pursued at the university is laid at the door of President Van Hise.

"I am satisfied," said Mr. Trottman, "it was our duty not only not to make use of haste after the election to proceed to new construction, but to give the legislature of 1915, elected on a retrenchment and economy platform, opportunity to reconsider, with care and prudence, the big appropriations made by the legislature of 1913."

Mr. Trottman maintains that not until after the present legislature has had opportunity to reconsider and act upon these appropriations, will the board of regents of the university have fulfilled its part of an agreement entered into with former Gov. McGovern.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

State of Wisconsin—In Probate—La Crosse County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Oscar F. Anderson, late of the City of La Crosse, in said County, deceased.

Letters testamentary in said matter having been granted to Lillian Ruth Anderson Latham, of Atlanta, Georgia, notice is hereby given that six months after the 6th day of February, A. D. 1915, are allowed to creditors to present their claims against said deceased for examination and allowance; and that said Court will on the 10th day of August, A. D. 1915, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of said Court in the Courthouse in the City of La Crosse, in said County, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased.

Dated this 6th day of February, 1915.

By the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge.

JAMES THOMPSON,
Attorney for Estate.

ESCAPES WAR TO DIE HERE

RAPID CITY, S. D., March 1.—After escaping from Russia because he feared he would be forced to go to war and be killed, a Russian laborer, whom police believe to be Joseph Jahnsky, fell under a passenger train and was ground to pieces. He climbed into a snowdrift to let a train pass and slipped down just in time to get in front of the train.

FARMERS MEET PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON, March 1. — Ten boys and girls of Norristown, Pa., who have been successful in raising corn, potatoes and tomatoes so as to merit a trip to the capital will be received by President Wilson today.

Society

SURPRISE MRS. RUBERT

Mrs. G. Rubert, 1217 Johnson street, was surprised by a number of her friends Friday afternoon, the occasion being her eleventh wedding anniversary. Four tables of five hundred were played. The prizes were taken by Mrs. C. W. Spencer, Mrs. L. Weisbecker, Mrs. Robert Braun and Mrs. W. J. Tornance. A delicious supper was served at 5:30. Mrs. Rubert was presented with a handsome tablecloth.

LAWRENCE FURSTMAN CELEBRATES

Lawrence Furstman, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Furstman, celebrated his sixth birthday yesterday.

COFFEE

Mrs. C. N. Dunham entertained eighteen ladies at a coffee Saturday afternoon. Mrs. A. S. Dunham of Hokah was an out of town guest.

BIRTHDAY EVENT

Mrs. Millie Edwards entertained a party of friends and relatives at her home, 434 Rose street, in honor of her birthday. After the supper was served dancing was enjoyed. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Krueger, Mrs. G. Daysack, Mrs. Umberger, Mrs. Delhantz, Mrs. D. Miller, Mrs. Weise of Tomah, Mrs. A. Utke, Miss Ella McConner, Miss Dayton, Miss A. Wagner, Miss Liddie Utke, Miss Umberger, Miss J. Utke, Miss M. Miller, Miss W. Edwards, Miss Helen Miller, Mr. Walter Rice, P. Halverson, Tom Little, Fred Stirnemann, George Edwards, Archie Hoard, Will Edwards and Mrs. Millie Edwards.

SOCIAL BRIEFS

Mrs. Hebberd will leave tomorrow for Decatur, Ill., to visit friends.

Ladies if you are driving a car do not fail to see the Motor Gloves at Barron's.

Mrs. A. S. Dunham of Hokah is visiting at the home of her son, C. N. Dunham.

Notice of Application to County Court

State of Wisconsin, County Court, La Crosse County. ss.—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, in said County, on the 4th Tuesday, being the 23rd day of March, A. D., 1915, at ten o'clock A. M., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of William E. Bosshard to admit to probate the last will and testament of Emilie Bosshard, late of the Village of Bangor, in said County of La Crosse, deceased.

Dated February 27, 1915.

By order of the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY, County Judge.

TWO DYING AFTER BATTLE

PUEBLO, Col., March 1.—Two men are dying of bullet wounds today as a result of a battle in the Italian district, believed to have been the outgrowth of a "black hand" war. Frank Bacino, 42, a local merchant, and Manisco Leo Lorendo, who came here recently from New York, are the men wounded.

Even the green grocer may turn red, if he has the habit of blushing.

The Biggest Crowd

IN THE BIJOU'S HISTORY SAW

MARY PICKFORD

Play Her Masterpiece

"CINDERELLA"

Sunday matinee and evening. Don't miss this Paramount Pickford, showing again TONIGHT, TUESDAY MATINEE and EVENING. No advance in prices.

"IT'S A LONG, LONG WAY TO TIPPERARY"

Pathe three reels, coming WEDNESDAY.

Annual Clearing Sale

AT

J. S. Arenz & Co.

323 Pearl Street

La Crosse, Wis.

While a good many people have walked out of our store much happier than they walked in on account of getting a much better bargain than what they expected, there are still enough left for you to get a fit; so do not miss the opportunity to get a pair.

1,768 pair of Men's Shoes that range in price all the way from $2.00 to $3.00, sale price **$1.50**

892 pair $3.50 and $4.00 Shoes now **$1.69**

317 pair $4.50 and $5.00 Shoes now **$1.98**

1,000 pair Men's heavy Work Shoes, Outing Shoes, Elkskin Shoes, black and tan, $2.50 to $3.50, at **$1.98**

1,437 pair of Ladies' Patent and Gun Metal Shoes, button, worth from $2.00 to $3.50, sale price.. **$1.89**

A lot of Ladies' Suedes, Black and Tan, Button and Lace, regular price $4.00, sale price **$1.89**

A lot of Russian Tan Button Shoes, regular price $4.00, sale price **$1.89**

A lot of Misses' Gun Metal Button Shoes, worth $2 and $2.50, sale price **$1.49**

Another lot of Lace Shoes worth $2.00, now ... **$1.19**

A lot of Children's Shoes worth from $1.50 to $2.50, sale price **$1.00**

Boys' Shoes up to size 6 ..... **$1.25**

"BIG CHIEF" BENDER TRAP-SHOOTING STAR



Chief Bender.

Chief Bender, the former mainstay of Connie Mack's crew of ball-tossers, and now with the Baltimore Federal league team, is a top-notch trap-shooter. The Chief's eagle eye seems to be improving with age, the clay pigeons falling prey to his mighty gun in ever larger numbers.

Bender is well satisfied with his berth with the Baltfeds and the expectations are that he will excel past performances. Baltimore fans are anxiously awaiting the opening of the season in order to get a good glimpse of the famous slab artists in action.

JUSTIN TIMLIN WATCHES SURGEONS FASHION NEW LIP FROM OWN FLESH

CHICAGO, March 1.—An operation termed unique in the history of the fight against cancer with the knife was performed on William H. Timlin, justice of the supreme court of Wisconsin. Dr. Arthur Dean Bevan removed a large cancerous growth from Justice Timlin's lips. Then, a small slice of flesh at a time, was cut from other parts of the jurist's face and fashioned into a new mouth. Throughout the entire operation the jurist, who is 62 years old, was conscious and watched the cutting. Because of his age, only a local anaesthetic was administered. The operation is said to have been entirely successful.

OFFICER AND THIEF SHOT IN BATTLE

CHICAGO, March 1.—Policeman Joe Carroll was shot through the arm and one of three burglars captured early today in a street battle with robbers who were caught in the store of Freman Brothers, in Lincoln avenue, early today. A squad of reserves and the robbers fought from behind trees and from doorways for thirty minutes.

WHARF BUILDING BURNS

BOSTON, Mass., March 1.—Fire which for a time defied the efforts of the city's whole fire-fighting force, today did $25,000 damage to the building occupied by the Indian Refining company, Central wharf.

I. H. C. SAYS IT WILL NEED RECEIVER IF DECISION STANDS

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Appointment of a receiver for the International Harvester company is inevitable, if the supreme court sustains the anti-trust decree ordering its dissolution, the company declared in its brief filed today with the supreme court, in the government's dissolution suit. The case will be argued April 5.

CHARLES WATKINS DIES

Charles Watkins, 41, Harmony, Minn., died at one o'clock Saturday morning at a local hospital. The body was taken to Harmony for interment.

Hardy Shrubs

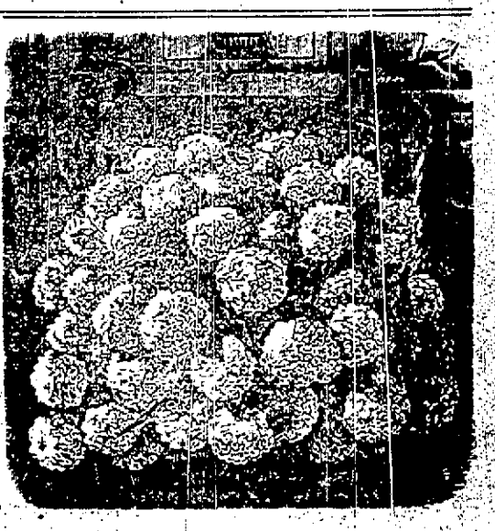
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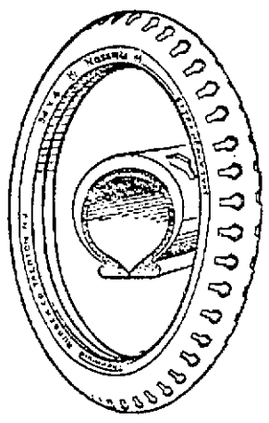
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Box 60. La Crosse.



NASSAU Tires



Are designed to as nearly eliminate tire troubles as the the finest quality of materials and the most modern equipment, combined with skill and years of experience, can possibly accomplish.

NASSAU TIRES, while selling at lower prices than last year, still maintain the high standard that has made them famous. The fact that England has removed the embargo on rubber is responsible for the decrease in price.

NASSAU TIRES carry a factory guarantee against defects on a mileage basis of 3,500 miles.

Car Owners Net Prices

Size	Smooth	Non-Skid	Gray	De Luxe
28x3	$ 7.75	$ 8.75	$2.00	$2.45
30x3	$ 8.25	$ 9.25	$2.10	$2.50
30x3½	$10.75	$12.00	$2.50	$2.95
32x3½	$12.25	$13.75	$2.60	$3.10
34x3½	$14.00	$15.50	$2.75	$3.30
32x4	$16.75	$19.00	$3.50	$4.15
33x4	$17.50	$19.75	$3.75	$4.30
34x4	$18.00	$20.25	$3.85	$4.40
36x4	$19.50	$21.50	$4.00	$4.65
36x4½	$26.00	$28.50	$4.75	$5.75

Fred Kroner Hardware Co.

Third Street, between Main and Pearl

FLEET'S ATTACK TUMBLES WHEAT

Progress of Attempt to Force Dardanelles Causes the Market to Sink Suddenly

CHICAGO, March 1.—The rapid progress of the bombardment of the Dardanelles by the allied fleets, and the announcement from Premier Asquith of Great Britain's declaration that all commodities hereafter are to be contraband of war, in the effort to starve Germany out, broke the wheat market today with a crash.

The drop in May wheat at one time was 7 1-2c per bushel below Saturday's closing price of $1.53 1-2. July wheat at one time during the day of wild scenes in the pit, fell as low as $1.17 1-2, a drop of 8 1-4 cents below last Saturday's close.

All other grains were off sharply.

JOSEPHINE NOWAK DIES

Mrs. Josephine Nowak, aged 69 years, died yesterday afternoon at three o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Martin Nowak, 1333 Ferry street. Infirmities of old age caused death.

Mrs. Nowak is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Martin Nowak of La Crosse, and Mrs. Gusta Andrews of Spokane, Wash., and three sons, Joseph of La Crosse, John of Spokane, and Charles of Galesville.

The funeral will be held at nine o'clock Wednesday from Holy Cross church, Rev. Fr. Futel officiating. Burial will take place in the Catholic cemetery.

RUMELY COMPANY EXTENSION

NEW YORK, March 1.—The new Rumley committee expects to restore ten millions of notes falling due today to the original dates of the notes and thus conserve the interests of the note holders.

TONIGHT
LA CROSSE THEATRE
THE
Heyde Drama Players
Present Robt. Edeson's
"The Call of the Woods"
(4 act comedy drama of the Canadian north.)
3 Big Vaudeville Acts 3
PRICES:
Matinees: Tues., Thurs. Sat., Sun. All seats 10c.
Nights 10c and 20c. All seats reserved.
TUESDAY
Reception Matinee
10—Cents—10

THURSDAY, MARCH 6th
CHAUNCEY OLCOTT
IN
The Heart of Paddy Whack
An Irish Love-Story Sparkling with Humor
A HALF DOZEN NEW SONGS
Prices: 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50.
Seats tomorrow morning. Mail order now.

AGED RESIDENT IS CALLED

Mrs. Estra Anderson, 86, resident of La Crosse for sixteen years and of La Crosse county for more than thirty years, died at 2 o'clock this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. O. L. Nelson, 2112 Cass street. The infirmities of old age were the cause of death.

Surviving are two children, Mrs. Christina Nelson of La Crosse and Frank Anderson of Chicago.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Wednesday at the home and at 2:30 at St. Paul's Norwegian Lutheran church, West avenue and Division street. Burial will take place in Oak Grove cemetery.

CHUM SHOT BY ACCIDENT

MILWAUKEE, March 1.—John Bertling, 16, was accidentally shot and killed today by Joseph Zimmerman, a chum. Zimmerman stumbled while carrying a rifle across the room, discharging the weapon.

THIRTY KILLED IN GUNBOAT BLAST

GALVESTON, Tex., March 1.—Thirty persons, including five women, were killed when the gunboat Progresso was blown up by a bomb in Progresso harbor, stated the Carranzista consul here today. The bomb was smuggled aboard in a shipment of ice.



The Man With the Black Vandyke

He's a sinister figure that drops like a shadow on the lives of Ned Warner and June.

Dark, polished, mysterious, his polite attentions seem a constant menace.

At every turning, he crosses the path of the beautiful runaway bride.

"Runaway June"
By George Randolph Chester and Lillian Chester

is a mystifying story, a fascinating story, a story of spell-bound thrill.

It is illustrated with moving pictures produced by the Reliance Motion Picture Corporation by special arrangement for this paper. No expense has been spared to make them magnificent; no effort has been stinted at any point.

Read the Story. See the Pictures.

"Runaway June" has never before been published. It was written for America's greatest newspapers; in this city it will appear exclusively in *The La Crosse Tribune*

"Whys" of European War Moves Explained By Military Expert

BY J. W. T. MASON

NEW YORK, March 1.—With increasing frequency, British and French statesmen are insisting on the perfect accord of the French-English-Russian alliance, and at the same time, are declaring the resolve of their own nations to see the war through single-handed, if necessary, to the very end. It is apparent that absolute certainty does not prevail in Paris and London concerning the future attitude of the Russians. Possibility exists that the Slavs may make a separate peace, thus releasing two million Austrians and Germans for the western battle front, and relieving also the Teutonic food point.

Russia's military humiliation is intense, not only because of von Hindenburg's repeated victories, but also because of the swagger with which the Slavs entered the war, and the grandiose annexation of German Poland by a premature imperial ukase. Not only is Germany firmly in possession of a large part of Russian Poland but also has Austria recovered much of Galicia and seems destined to regain more.

Financially, Russia is near to national bankruptcy. England is now largely paying for the Slavs' continuance in the war.

A strong peace party exists in Russia, whose activities are dominated by Germanic influences. Germans have long been economic and cultural leaders in Russia, and it is known that high personages in Petrograd are working to secure a dominant influence at court in the interest of Germany. Those peace advocates may well claim that the high tide of Russia's military success has been reached, and, in fact, is beginning to recede. Warsaw is seriously endangered; Lemberg may be retaken when the spring makes the Carpathians a less formidable barrier against artillery transport; and the situation in the Caucasus is not favorable for a serious offensive against the Turks.

MILWAUKEE BOOSTS BREAD

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 1.—Milwaukee is eating six cent bread for the first time. The wholesalers recently raised all flour products 20 per cent and retailers followed in their steps today.

BLIND SOLON VISITS HOUSE

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Thomas D. Schall, the blind congressman-elect from Minnesota, visited the house today to familiarize himself with the hall and proceedings in it.

GOPHER OPTION BILL LAW

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 1.—Governor Hammond this afternoon signed the Minnesota county option bill, which which will go into effect at once.

Dr. E. L. EATON
Lecturer on Astronomy
"A Stroll Along the Milky Way"
at the
First Baptist Church
Tuesday Evening, 8 P. M.
Fourth number on Baptist Lecture Course
Don't miss this number.
Single Admission 25c.

100 BARGAINS
EACH $1.00

We have decided to make Dollar Day a notable event which people will remember, by offering some goods at less than cost, and we guarantee each article or combination of articles which we will offer for $1.00 will be from 15 to 40 cents less than regular price.

We will include in our bargains goods that will interest the housewife, the farmer, mechanic, or any other class.

The following is a partial list of the goods included in our bargains:

Bread and Kitchen Knives. Cleavers, Ice Cream Freezers, Sad Irons, Skirt Board, Clothes Racks, Pails, Mops, and Mop Wringers, Tinware, Granite Ware, Aluminum Ware, Razors, Razor Hones and Strops.

Squares, Rules, Planes, Wrenches, Bits, Pliers, Clamps.

Hitching Posts, Shoe Lasts and Stands, Lawn Sprinklers, Clippers.

Hay Rack Brackets, Hay and Manure Forks, Spades, Hoes, Rakes, Hay Knives, Axes, Wire Stretchers and Lanterns.

V. Tausche Hardware Co.

135-203 South Fourth Street

GERMANS AND FRENCH ADVANCING FOR DEATH GRAPPLE



German machine gun detachment creeping into action (top) and French infantry scouts moving toward Germans lines.

These pictures were taken on the battle line in northern France. It will be noticed that the soldiers are deliberate in their movements and do not expose themselves any more than is necessary.

ROADS RAISE RATES

CHICAGO, March 1.—By increasing the mileage rate from two to two and one-half cents per mile the western railways today will increase their annual income about fifteen million dollars.

YANKEE PHENOMS ASSEMBLE

NEW YORK, March 1.—The New York Yankee recruits were to assemble here today preparatory to leaving tomorrow for the training camp at Savannah, Ga.

CHATTANOOGA RESERVE CITY

WASHINGTON, March 1. — Chattanooga, Tenn., was named as a reserve city by the federal reserve board.

CANAL OPENING POSTPONED

WASHINGTON, March 1.—The formal opening of the Panama canal which was scheduled for this month has been postponed until July. The president will go probably to San Francisco this month.

ALLEGED FUGITIVE HELD

CLEVELAND, O., March 1.—Otto Bowers, alleged fugitive from justice, wanted in Sulphur Springs, Montana, on a charge of having broken jail while held on a grand larceny charge, was arrested here.

Sometimes Vary Conversation.

It is a mistake for men to imagine women are always talking about their dresses. Sometimes they are talking about their hats.

PETEY DINK—He Believes in Rushing the Season

By C. A. Voight



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BOTH PHONES 323

HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Able-bodied men. Good eye-sight, for firemen and brakemen. Good wages. Experience unnecessary. Surely state age. Railway, care Tribune.

MEN TO LEARN BARBER TRADE—Dubuque Barber College, 15th St. 2 16 3 10

HELP WANTED—Female

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. A. C. Wolfe, 1519 Madison. 2 24 3 2

WANTED—Middle-aged lady as housekeeper. Good home to right party. Call or write, Theo. Sands, Sparta, Wis. 2 27 3 1

WANTED—Girls over sixteen years of age to work in our factory, good wages paid while you learn the work, with splendid opportunity for advancement to those who wish to do so. La Crosse Knitting Works. 2 27 3 5

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 821 South Fourth street. 2 27 3 2

WANTED—Girl for housework. No washing or ironing. 308 No. 7th St. 3 1 31

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Small family. Wages $5. 220 So. 11th. 3 1 3

WANTED—Girl for housework. No washing. Erickson's Bakery. 3 1 3

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Famous Greeley, Colorado District. Some fine irrigated improved farms, close to station. Best in the world for sugar beets, potatoes, alfalfa and small grain. Special offer for two quarters, $100 per acre. Abundant water. W. T. Graham, Bee Building, Omaha, Neb. 3 1 1

PIANO BARGAIN—I have a fine $500.00 Grand in upright case. Only used four months. Will sell for less than half price if sold this week. I am going to leave city and must sell. Address 810 Ferry St. New Phone 603-K. 3 1 tf

FOR SALE—Small house and lot, good barn, half block from car line. A snap. Part down, balance on easy payments. A. A. Johnson, Mgr. City Grocery. 2 24 3 2

FOR SALE—One Universal joint, one whistle and two propeller wheels, and one auto steering gear. Ind. Service Co., 316 South Third. 2 26 3 2

FOR SALE—Large well arranged modern home, good location, with best car service. See owner, 1105 Caledonia. 1 26 tf

CINDERS—50c per load. Delivered to any part of south side. Wisconsin-Minnesota Light and Power Co. Phone 112. 10 23 tf

FOR SALE—Collapsible go-cart and a reed oriole cart. Inquire 520 South Third, upstairs. Old phone 6351. 2 26 3 1

FOR SALE—Cottage of five rooms at a bargain; one double house, five rooms each side, good renting property. New phone 802-C. 2 26 3 1

FOR SALE—Five passenger car, good condition, almost new tires, 35 h. p., price $375. Address Imperial, care Tribune. 2 26 3 4

FOR SALE—Horse, buggy and cutter. Horse can be driven by a lady. Call new phone 859-A. 2 26 3 31

FOR SALE—Fawn and white runner ducks, also chickens. Most any kind you want. Inquire 2101 King. 3 1 3

FOR SALE—Pure bred Barred Plymouth Rock Cockerels. Large as turkeys. Who wants them? Van Loon, La Crosse, Wis. Old Phone 2054. 3 1 tf

FOR SALE—Team black mares, age 5 years, average 1,500 pounds. One bay mare, age 4, weight 1,600 pounds. Wylie Parish, De Soto, Wis. 2 27 3 8

FOR SALE—Show cases, counters and shelving. Inquire Schulze's Baking Co. 869 New Phone. 3 1 tf

FOR SALE—Buggy, good harness, incubator, lawn mower. 2111 Farnam. 3 1 6

FOR SALE—New six room house, all modern. 1727 Madison street. Call new phone 1733-M. 2 24 3 9

FOR SALE—Lot Seventeenth and Badger. Inquire 526 Oakland. 2 23 tf

FOR SALE—A bargain, bass and snare drum, also clarinet, fine condition. Phone 1218-M. 2 23 3 8

FOR SALE—Five year old 1,300 farmer mare. 2620 Mormon Coulee Road. 2 16 3 1

FOR SALE—One hard coal heater, one soft coal heater and one roll top desk. 509 Main. 2 3 tf

FOR SALE—Pair of birch sliding doors, with runners. New Phone 1137-C. 6 23 tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A mare in foal, at Reliable Steam Laundry. 1 27 tf

FOR SALE—Corner lot on 21st and Vine. Inquire 514 South Ninth. Phone 1327-M. 2 18 28

FOR SALE—Modern house, east of Twelfth, south of Main. Address O. P., care Tribune. 2 27 3 6

FOR SALE—Two horses. 1420 Jackson street. 2 25 3 10

FOR SALE—A new five room cottage on 14th and Johnson street. Apply 1314 Johnson street. 2 27 3 5

FOR SALE—One heavy horse. 1317 South Fourth. 2 p4 3 2

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—320 acres near New Salem, N. D. There is no better soil to be found than this piece, all tillable. Address New Salem Land, care Tribune. 2 27 tf

FOR SALE—One house, $12 per month. A. Lee, Fourth and Pearl. 2 27 3 30

FOR SALE—7 passenger Studebaker, 5 passenger Rambler, Rambler roadster. All bargains. General Motor Car Co., 207 State, or Fox Bros. 2 27 3 2

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Safe. 729 Division street. 2 26 3 2

FOR SALE—Kitchen range. 1317 Ferry. 2 26 3 3

FOR SALE—Barn, 16x24. To be moved. 1206 So. 12th. 3 1 6

FOR SALE—Oak Library Table. 812 King St. 3 1 tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Upper four rooms in a two story house, for family of two. Inquire of J. W. Giefer, Hebberd Drug Store. 3 1 2

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms with city heat. Call mornings or evenings, 644-A new phone. 234 So. Seventh. 2 25 3 1

FOR RENT—Store, size 23x77, equipped with shelving. Address Mrs. E. Netz, Prairie du Chien, Wis. 2 25 tf

FOR RENT—Modern house. 349 So. Twentieth. 2 27 3 3

FOR RENT—Furnished room with or without board. 946 Division. 2 26 3 1

FOR RENT—Three furnished light housekeeping rooms. 714 Cass. 2 25 tf

FOUR UNFURNISHED ROOMS — gas, city water. 923 Grove. 1 13 tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room, modern. 712 Cass. 2 16 tf

FOR RENT—Nice large office room over 307 Main street. City heat. Call 194-C new phone. 2 22 3 4

FOR RENT—Modern seven room house. New phone 1708-M. 2 27 3 2

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms on first floor, 726 Ferry. 2 27 3 5

FOR RENT—Large furnished rooms at 629 South Third St. 3 1 3

FOR RENT—Room. Modern, 522 State. 3 1 5

MISCELLANEOUS

INVESTMENT—A good permanent proposition right in La Crosse for two hundred to invest fifty dollars each. If interested and want fifty dollars to work for you, address Post Office Box 772, City. 2 22 3 4

BOOKS BOUGHT FOR CASH—On the following subjects: Biography, history, town or county or America, travels. Books on Mormons, Indians, wars, science of every kind. Address Books, care of Tribune. 2 22 3 1

WANTED—By high school student, work for Saturdays or evenings after school. Call new phone 485-M. 2 25 3 1

WANTED—Draying, hauling ashes and wood sawing. 1227 Denton. Call new phone 1461-M. 2 27 3 5

WANTED—By young couple, three or four modern unfurnished rooms. New phone 1599-M. 2 22 tf

WANTED—Washing to take home. New Phone 1543-C. 3 1 3

LOST

LOST—Near Burns, small foxterrier dog, black and white with brown face, bob tail, answers to name Spite. Finder write or phone Jack Lommes, Bangor, Wis., and get $5 reward. 2 25 3 10

LOST—Small rat terrier. Return to 914 Pine. Reward. 2 27 3 2

LOST—Small brown dog with short hair. Return to 1241 Green Bay. Call new phone 1625-C. Reward. 2 27 3 1

LOST—Gold cuff link with initials R. M. A. Return to Tribune. Reward. 3 8 tf

LOST—Fox terrier pup, white with black spots, bob tail, red collar. Old phone 4491. 429 King. Reward. 2 27 3 2

LOST—Black buggy robe. Reward if returned to Tribune. 3 1 6

Dyers and Cleaners

HAVE YOUR RUGS and carpets cleaned at Pitzner's, Dyers and Cleaners, 201 State St. Both phones. 2 12 3 11

FINANCIAL

FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION paid and installment stock for sale. 9 12 tf

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and diamonds. La Crosse Loan Co., 320 Main street, upstairs. 9 9 tf

Shoe Repairing

JENSEN, 311 Main. When down at the heel, don't throw away your overshoes or arctics, but let us mend them, while you wait. New phone 352-M. 2 6 may 8

FUNERAL DIRECTORS

MILLER BROS., undertakers and embalmers. 320 Main. Phones 236. Open day and night.

Engineering

W. S. WOODS, Engineer, Batavian Bank building. Water supply, sewage, pavements, water power, reports, surveys, plans, specifications. 2 20 5 21

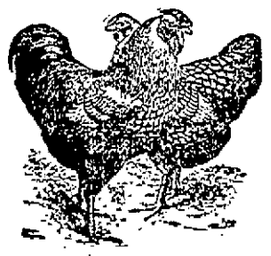
Cut Rate Shipping

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points, superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Typewriter Ribbons

NEW TYPEWRITER RIBBONS, 35c. Half dozen $1.75, while lot bought at bargain lasts. Regular 75c quality. W. V. Kidder, 114 North Fifth. Phone 56. 12 7 tf

Poultry Dept.



OLD TRUSTY INCUBATOR, 100 egg, as good as new, $7.50 buys it, at Poehling's Store. 2 26 tf

FILIBUSTER STOPS HOUSE APPROVAL

WASHINGTON, March 1.—A republican coup today blocked action on the ship purchase bill.

With the ways greased for hasty approval of the conference report in the house, an unexpected republican filibuster threw the democrats into confusion and forced postponement of consideration, probably until tomorrow.

The Doctor's Friend.

Appendicitis probably has helped the doctors more than any other recent discovery.—Atchison Globe.

Daily Markets

Wholesale Fruit
(Quoted by John C. Burns.)

Oysters, best standards, gal	$1.10
Oysters, best selects, gal.	$1.4
Oysters, best selects, gal.	$1.40
Celery, Michigan	15c, 20c, 30c
Cider, steam refined, bbl.	$.650
Cider, pure juice, bbl.	$6.00
Cider, crab apple, half bbl.	$5.50
Cider, steam refined, half bbl.	$3.50
Cider, pure juice, half bbl.	$3.25
Cranberries, Jerseys, Golden Reds, Dark Red, bbl.	$5.00
Lemons, silver, "Sunkist" box	$4.00
Lemons, Red ball, per box	$3.50
Oranges, Fancy Navels	$2.75
Oranges, Ex. Choice	$2.50
Oranges, choice	$2.25
Bananas, bunch	$2.00
Grapes, green, keg	$5.00
Apples, 5 boxes, asst'd, box	$1.25
Apples, barrels, N. Y. Baldwins barrel	$3.00
Apples, Ben Davis, bbl.	$3.00
Onions, red or yellow, hd.	$1.75
Potatoes, per bushel	60c
Grape Fruit, size 36	$2.25
Grape Fruit, size 46	$2.50
Grape Fruit, size 54	$2.75
Grape Fruit, size 64	$2.75

Livestock
(By Farmers' Co-operative Packing Company.)

Hogs	$5.80 to $6.25
Cows	$3.00 to $5.00
Steers	$4.00 to $6.50
Heifers	$3.50 to $5.50
Sheep	$3.00 to $3.50
Spring Lambs	$5.50 to $6.25

Poultry

Chickens	10½ to 11c
Turkeys	12 to 14c
Ducks	11c
Geese	10c

Provisions

Lard, per pound	11 to 11½c
Shoulders, per pound	11½c
Picnics, per pound	11½c
Bacon, per pound	16 to 22c
Hams, per pound	24 to 15c
Dried beef, per pound	22 to 26c

Flour and Feed
(Quoted by Listman Mill Co.)

Patent, per barrel	$7.70
Straight, per barrel	$7.50

Grain
(Quoted by C. A. Thomas)

Corn	75 to 85c
Oats	55 to 60c
Wheat	$1.20 to $1.30
Rye	95c to $1.00
Barley	70 to 80c

Mill Feed

Bran, per ton, 100 lb sacks	$27.00
Shorts, per ton, 100 lb sacks	$28.00
White Middlings, per ton, 100 lb. sacks	$30.00
Red Dog, ton, 100 lb. sacks	$34.00

Butter and Eggs
(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)

Creamery butter, pound	30 to 31c
Dairy butter, pound	26 to 28c
Eggs, fresh, dozen	20c

Cheese
(Quoted by Hy. Anderegg)

Fancy full cream twins	15 to 16c
Fancy full cream daisies	15 to 16c
Fancy full cream limburger	14 to 17c
Fancy full cream Swiss block	17c
Fancy full cream brick	13 to 15c
German hand cheese, per box	90c
Norwegian Primost	7 to 8c

PASTOR IN ST. LOUIS

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 1.—Rev. Karl Reiland of New York, pastor of St. George's Episcopal church, at which the late J. P. Morgan was a communicant, and the minister who gained fame after his "discovery" by Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, when Roosevelt was president, today began a five-day engagement here, at the noonday Lenten service in a local theater.

RIVER RISES AT QUINCY

QUINCY, Ill., March 1.—Farmers in the Mississippi river lowlands around Quincy are moving inside the levees, whiles the river is slowly rising, flooding the bottoms. A stage of 14.4 feet was reached before noon. Thirteen feet is the danger line and 19 feet the levee height.

MEET TO PLAN MERGER

PATERSON, N. J., March 1.—Stockholders of the United Shoe Machinery corporation and the United States Shoe Machinery company were to meet here today to take action on a proposed merger of the two concerns.

Asphalt in Philippines.

Hard asphalt, known as uintahite or gilsonite, has been discovered in the Philippines on the island of Leyte.

Foreign Markets

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, March 1.—The volume of business at the opening of the stock market today was light. Some stocks showed fractional gains. United States Steel and Reading opened 1-8 in advance.

11 a. m.—Prices reacted a little toward the close of the first hour, and trading became dull.

Noon—Little change in price or activity was noted in stocks during the second hour. Trading was almost at a complete standstill at noon.

2 p. m.—During the early afternoon the market was at a standstill. The stock market closed dull.

New York Money

NEW YORK, March 1.—Money on call, 2 per cent; time money, 3¼ per cent for six months; prime mercantile, 3½ to 4 per cent.

Bar silver: London, 23¼d; New York, 49¾c.

Demand sterling, 4.79¾.

Kansas City Livestock

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 1.—Cattle — Receipts 11,000; market steady to 10c lower; steers, $6.00 to $8.80; cows and heifers, $4.25 to $8.25; stockers and feeders, $6.00 to $7.80; calves, $6.50 to $10.75.

Hogs—Receipts 8,00; market 5 to 10c higher; bulk, $6.60 to $6.70; heavy, $6.60 to $6.70; medium, $6.60 to $6.75; light, $6.60 to $6.75.

Sheep — Receipts 11,000; market steady, 10c higher; lambs, $8.50 to $9.30; ewes, $6.25 to $7.00; stockers and feeders, $4.75 to $8.25.

Chicago Livestock

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., March 1.—Hogs—Receipts 42,000; market strong, 5 to 10c higher; mixed and butchers, $6.45 to $6.80; good heavy, $6.60 to $6.75; rough heavy, $5.25 to $6.35; light, $6.55 to $6.82 1-2; pigs, $5.75 to $6.90.

Cattle — Receipts 17,000; market steady to 10c lower; beeves, $5.50 to $9.00; cows and heifers, $3.50 to $7.70; Texans, $5.50 to $6.60; calves, $6.75 to $10.25.

Sheep — Receipts 13,000; market strong to 10c higher; native, $6.90 to $7.85; western, $7.00 to $7.85; western, $7.00 to $7.85; lambs, $7.90 to $7.85; lambs, $7.90 to $9.70; western, $8.00 to $9.75.

Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, March 1.—Butter—Extras, 29c; firsts, 26 to 27c; dairy extras, 27c; firsts, 24 to 25c.

Eggs—Prime firsts, 21c; ordinary, 20c.

Cheese—Twins, 15 3-4 to 16c; Young Americas, 16c.

Potatoes—Receipts 26 cars; Wisconsin white, 35 to 42c; red stock, 35 to 40c.

Live Poultry—Fowls, 14c; ducks, 12 to 16c; geese, 8 to 10c; spring chicks, 15½c; turkeys, 12c.

Chicago Cash Grain

CHICAGO, March 1.—Wheat—No. 2 red, 148 to 151; No. 3 red, 145½ to 150½; No. 2 hard, 147 to 152; No. 3 hardl, 146½ to 151.

Oats—No. 3 white, 54⅛ to 55¾c; No. 4 white, 54 to 55½c; standard, 54¾ to 56½c.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, 72 to 73c; No. 3 yallow, 69 to 70½c; No. 4 yellow, 68½ to 69½c; No. 5 yellow, 66½ to 68c; No. 3 white, 70½ to 71c; No. 4 white, 69⅜ to 70c; No. 3 mixed, 68 to 70; No. 4 mixed, 68 to 69¼c; No. 5 mixed, 66 to 67½c.

Barley—70 to 80c.

Timothy—$5 to $6.50.

Chicago Grain Review

CHICAGO, March 1.—The terrible effectiveness of Anglo-French naval gunners, coupled with martial inefficiency of the Turks defending the Dardanelles fortifications, heretofore considered virtually invulnerable, caused another sensational break in wheat today. Following partial recovery on the theory that the allied fleet could not hope to batter their way through the Bosphorus for months at the earliest, news of the destruction of one of the greatest forts today sent wheat down to 151 for May and 122 for July at the opening. These were losses since Saturday's close of from 2 1-2 to 3-4. At one time May wheat was down to 1.48 and July to 1.19 1-4.

Corn felt the drop in wheat. Prices were down 1-4c to 5-8c at the opening. Later corn touch 72 3-8 for May and 74 1-2 for July, which represented recessions of from 1 3-8 to 1 cent on the opening.

Oats shared in the general price decline, there being little demand.

Despite scant receipts, provisions were slightly lower at today's opening and fell lower as the day advanced.

There were further breaks toward the close. At one time, May wheat touched 146 and July 117½. The formal announcement by Premier Asquith that the allies have decided upon a blockade of Germany, and would consider all commodities contraband, was the cause. Wheat closed at $1.47¾ for May and $1.18⅛ for July.

Corn continued to be affected by the wheat break.

Oats also continued weak to the end. Prices at the close were about two cents below the opening.

There was little activity in provisions, and they were lower at the close.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—				
May	151	151	146	147⅜
July	122	121	117½	118⅛
CORN—				
May	73¾	73¾	71⅜	71½
July	75½	75⅝	73⅜	73¾
OATS—				
May	56⅞	56⅞	54⅝	54⅞
July	53½	53½	51⅜	51⅝
PORK—				
May	17.30	17.35	17.10	17.12
July	17.70	17.72	17.45	17.50
LARD—				
May	10.25	10.27	10.17	10.17
July	10.50	10.50	10.40	10.40
RIBS—				
May	9.87	9.87	9.75	9.75
July	10.17	10.17	10.05	10.05

Hustling Young Man Wanted

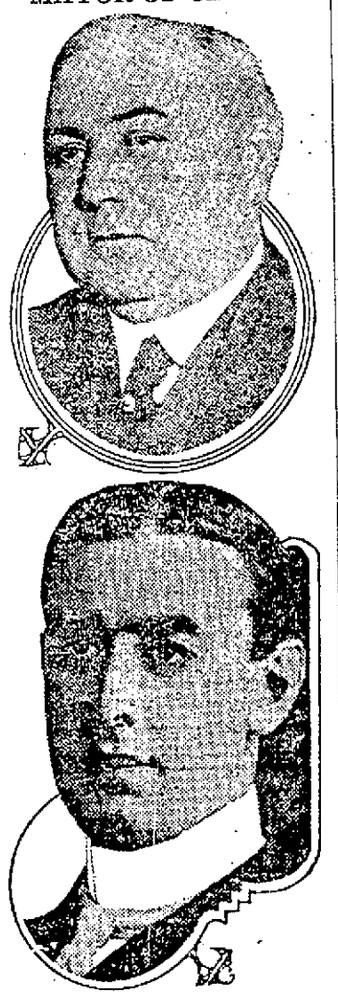
A large manufacturing concern, engaged in ambitious plans for further increasing its annual sales that now run well into big figures, proud of its good will and remarkable business record, offers a rare opportunity to a HUSTLING YOUNG MAN whose ability and efforts must be worth $50 per week to begin on, to represent their line of goods in the La Crosse territory, a line that sells in 95 per cent of the retail stores.

Requirements—Good health, vigor, push. A good reputation. The ability to sell goods as well as handle other salesmen. A small capital necessary to carry initial stock, which will amount to less than $300 which investment will not be necessary after the first 30 to 60 days.

Unless you are ambitious to make money for yourself and are willing to put push and energy into your work so that you prove yourself worthy of representing our name in this territory, do not reply.

MR. E. H. KUHR, representing the company, will be in La Crosse at the Stoddard Hotel on Tuesday, March 2nd only, where he will personally interview all applicants.

CANDIDATES FOR MAYOR OF CHICAGO



William Hale Thompson (top) and Robert Sweitzer.

William Hale Thompson and Robert M. Sweitzer were nominated respectively by the republicans and democrats for mayor of Chicago in the recent primaries. Thompson was one of the main cogs in the old Lorimer machine, while Sweitzer is a close political associate of Roger Sullivan, unsuccessful candidate for United States senator in Illinois last fall and leader of an important faction of the democratic party in the Windy city.

Comparative Markets

These Quotations Show the General Trend of Prices for the Previous Week

LIVESTOCK SATURDAY

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., Feb. 27.—Hogs — Receipts 19,000; market weak to 5c lower; mixed and butchers, $6.35 to $6.67 1-2; good heavy, $6.50 to $6.65; rough heavy, $6.10 to $6.25; light, $6.45 to $6.70; pigs, $5.75 to $6.75.

Cattle — Receipts 200; market steady; beeves, $5.50 to $9.00; cows and heifers, $3.60 to $7.75; Texans, $5.50 to $6.65; calves, $7.00 to $10.50.

Sheep — Receipts 1,000; market steady; native, $6.75 to $7.50; western, $6.90 to $7.65; lambs, $7.85 to $9.40; western, $8.00 to $9.40.

LIVESTOCK WEEK AGO

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., Feb. 20.—Market light, strong, others weak; mixed and butchers, $6.30 to $6.50; good heavy, $6.40 to $6.50; rough heavy, $6.10 to $6.25; light, $6.25 to $6.60; pigs, $5.25 to $6.50.

Cattle — Receipts 200; market steady; beeves, $5.25 to $8.50; cows and heifers, $3.40 to $7.50; Texans, $5.00 to $6.40; calves, $7.00 to $10.50.

Sheep — Receipts 1,000; market steady; native, $6.40 to $7.15; western, $6.60 to $7.25; lambs, $7.25 to $8.60; western, $7.50 to $8.70.

Grain

	Saturday.	Week Ago.
WHEAT—		
May	153½	160½
July	124¾	131¾
CORN—		
May	74	76⅜
July	76⅛	78
OATS—		
May	57¼	58¾
July	54¼	54¼

CITY HAS SELF DENIAL DAY

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 1.—Society women and shop girls, business men and laborers—every resident of St. Paul in fact—were asked to deny themselves something today, and to give the money thus saved, to the Belgian relief fund, of which Mrs. C. W. Ames is local head. Men were asked not to smoke or drink today, and if a friend offered a treat, the faithful man was supposed to ask that friend to give the money to the Belgian relief fund.

Bad habits grow like weeds, but good ones require careful nursing.

Your Credit is Good

Our Specials for Dollar Day

Your Credit is Good

14 inch Center Table, worth $1.50 ....$1.00

16 inch Center Table, worth $1.75 ....$1.00

26 inch Metal Stool, worth $1.75 ....$1.00

No. 22 Golden Oak or Mahogany Taborett, worth $2.00 ....$1.00

No. 86 Fumed Oak and Early English Pedestals, worth 75c each, 2 for $1.00

Dining Chairs, worth $1.25, $1.50, $1.75 and $2.00, your choice each $1.00

Mirrors, American plate, size 14x24, worth $1.50, special for $1.00

Phono-cut Phonograph Records, double-faced, worth 65c each, 2 for $1.00

88-note Player Piano Rolls, worth $1.50, $1.75 and $2.00, your choice each $1.00

Hassocks, genuine leather, black or brown, worth $2.00, special $1.00

Rag Rugs, worth $1.25 and $1.50, 100 pattern to select from, your choice at ...$1.00

Velvet Rugs, many handsome patterns, worth $1.50 and $2.00, your choice ...$1.00

Lace Curtains, any $1.25, $1.50, $1.75 or $2.00 pattern, large variety to select from, your choice $1.00

Framed Pictures, your choice of any $1.50 or $2.00 picture for $1.00

Six 25c Pictures for $1.00

Three 50c Pictures for $1.00

Two 75c Pictures for $1.00

Feather Pillows, your choice of any $1.50, $1.75 or $2.00 pillow for $1.00

Sidewalk Sulky, strong and well built; $1.50 value, for only $1.00

Brass Jardiniers, a large assortment to select from, $1.50 values, for $1.00

Hat Racks, values up to $2.00, special for Dollar Day $1.00

These are only a few items selected at random. We have hundreds of other articles marked down for Dollar Day.

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GERMANS DESPISE ENGLISH MOST OF ALL THEIR ENEMIES

BELGIANS FROM PRISON DECLARE CONDITIONS FAIR

Assert They Were Not Badly Treated by German Captors Under Circumstances

BY WILLIAM PHILIP SIMMS
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

WITH THE BELGIAN ARMY IN FLANDERS, Feb. 9.—(By Mail to New York.)—The Belgian army surgeons that sat opposite in the compartment of the train which carried us as far as Calais, on the way to Dunkirk, had been prisoners of war in Germany since October. Now they were on their way to Calais, where they had been ordered to report after their exchange had been effected.

Of the two officers, one ranked as captain, as the two golden and one silver stars on his collar testified. Two golden stars on the collar of the other's overcoat showed him to be a lieutenant. Leaving out side conversation, the captain's story, as brought out by questions put to him directly, was this:

"I was taken prisoner near Antwerp. For a few days I was detained in Dobeln, in Saxony, together with a dozen other officers, some French, some English and some Belgian. We slept in two small rooms in a barracks, rooms which, in times of peace, serve as common soldiers' quarters. Our bedding was sacks filled with hay. I cannot say however, that while at Dobeln, we were badly treated considering the circumstances. This is war, and prisoners must not expect too much.

"Soon, however, we were transferred to Ebersdorf. We found a number of officers were already prisoners there along with 4,000 French, Russians, Belgians and English—if one English prisoner in all this number may be allowed to represent England. Of the Belgians, some 200 were civilians. Why they were there, no one seemed to know. It was a very unhappy lot.

"The officers slept, as at Dobeln, in small rooms of a barracks. Several had to occupy the same room. The ordinary soldiers and other prisoners slept mostly in stables, in straw which had not been changed since the beginning of the war. It was alive with vermin, and reduced to powder by constant tramping. Each of us was allowed a single blanket and we were often cold. Of course, none of us had more than a change of clothes; the majority not even that: yet I do not know of a single case where anybody was provided with clothes by the German authorities. Most of us went without underwear and shirts while we washed and dried what we had.

"Theoretically, both the barracks and stables were heated. A heating plant had been installed, but the actual heating had been let by contract to a civilian, and he economized on coal most shamelessly."

Much Sickness

"Was there much sickness?" I asked him.

"A great deal," the captain answered. "There was little or no typhoid, for the sanitary precautions against such epidemics as this were perfect. There were many victims of pneumonia and erysipelas, scores of soldiers contracting erysipelas by lying in the filthy hay.

"Officers were given special treatment. They were allowed to eat at the canteens, if they had the money, thus sparing themselves the very bad, though plentiful food furnished the other prisoners. These were given coffee in the morning, soup with vegetables in it, at noon, and soup and cheese, herring or something like that at night. Meat was allowed three times a week. Officers were mixed as far as possible. For instance, a Russian, Belgian and Frenchman would share the same room, none speaking the language of the other. We were searched for various causes now and then."

"Do the Germans make any distinction between the various allies?"

"Assuredly they do. They despise the English worse than they do the Turcos. They say the Belgians are treacherous and free shooters; the Russians are cruel; the Turcos are the same, but know no better; the French are all right but are the tools of another nation, while the English are a dastardly, despicable race, deserving of no consideration. They delight in making an English colonel salute a German corporal of the guards, though, for that matter, all the officer prisoners were required to salute non-commissioned German officers."

"What if they refused?"

"They would be punished by being put in cells with common German soldiers serving time for various misdemeanors. You can imagine what would happen. The poor officer would be made to suffer every conceivable humiliation."

Are Women Better Dressed than Men ?

They appear to be, as a rule. Do you know why?

It is said that American women are the best dressed in the world. Why? One reason is that the American woman is scrupulously neat about her clothes—a good example for the men to follow.

No matter where you buy your suits or what you pay, it is necessary to your good appearance to have them regularly cleaned and pressed. Then when you go out with your family you won't feel that you have "a neglected appearance."

There's satisfaction and economy in keeping your clothing in good repair. Send your work to us—get best work at reasonable prices.

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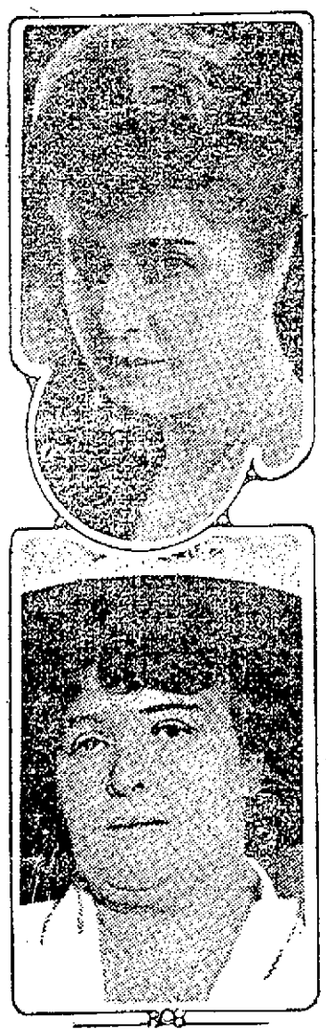
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Mrs. William Hale Thompson (top) and Mrs. Robert M. Sweitzer.

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SPOTLIGHTS

HEYDE PLAYERS

Just as promised, "The Call of the Woods" proved to be one of the best offerings in the amusement line that has been seen in La Crosse for a long time. The play caught the fancy and attention of the two big audiences yesterday, and pleased them to the utmost. "The Call of the Woods" is a somewhat different sort of a play—one with a punch—its simplicity is charming and the story interesting. The characters are all true to life, and with the home surroundings, the pretty love story with a heart interest that catches one at the very beginning makes the play a most enjoyable bit of excellent amusement.

"The Call of the Woods" will be the offering tonight, tomorrow matinee and night and Wednesday.

On Tuesday afternoon the Heyde Drama Players will give a "Social Matinee" and a reception will be held after the performance—an informal affair with a plentiful supply of pink tea imported for the occasion and other imported dainties to eat. The Heyde Drama Players would like to meet every one of their admirers personally.

MORATORIUM ENDS

STOCKHOLM, March 1.—The moratorium for foreign debts which has been on since the war began will be raised today.

NEURALGIC PAINS

These may be felt in any nerve of the body but are most frequent in the nerves of the head. Neuralgia may be caused by a decayed tooth, eye-strain or a diseased ear but the most common cause is general debility accompanied by anemia, or thin blood.

For this reason women who work too hard or dance too much and who do not get sufficient rest, sleep and fresh air, are the most frequent sufferers from neuralgia and sciatica, which is neuralgia of the sciatic nerve.

Nutrition for the nerves is the correct treatment for neuralgia and the only way to nourish the nerves is through the blood. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills supply to the blood just the elements it needs to increase its capacity to carry nourishment to starved nerves. They have proved helpful in so many cases of neuralgia and sciatica that any sufferer from these troubles is fully justified in giving these pills a trial. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills contain no harmful or habit-forming drugs and may be taken for any length of time with perfect safety.

The pamphlet "Diseases of the Nervous System," is free to you if you mention this paper. Address: The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y. Your own druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

LA FOLLETTE BILL FOR SAFETY AT SEA IS PASSED

Senate and House Have Adopted Measure Which Now Goes to the President

WASHINGTON, March 1.—The La Follette seamen's bill, providing for a higher standard of safety at sea and better working conditions for the sailors, was passed by the senate Saturday afternoon without a roll call. The bill has already been adopted by the house, and now needs only the president's signature to make it a law.

MONROE COUNTY SETTLER DIES

SPARTA, Wis., March 1.—(Special.)—Funeral services for Martin Johnson, aged 65, were held at two o'clock yesterday afternoon from the home on Water street, Rev. Harding R. Hogan officiating. Mr. Johnson came to this part of the country when a boy, settling in Wilton. A short time afterwards he came to Sparta where he has resided continuously. No immediate relatives survive.

Company L Inspected

Gustades' orchestra will render music for the inspection of Company L at the armory tomorrow night. Visitors are invited. The militia has been drilling every night for several weeks. A military ball will take place after the inspection.

Celebrates Birthday

Donald McDonald entertained a number of friends yesterday in honor of his thirteenth birthday.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar King, Tomah, were in the city yesterday to attend the funeral of Martin Johnson.

Rev. Eaton, Madison, spoke at both services at the Methodist church yesterday. He will speak at the meeting at the church tonight.

Miss Irene Badeker of Norwalk visit with friends in Sparta Saturday.

Hugh Fanning, who is attending Ripon college is spending a short vacation with his Sparta friends and relatives.

Paul Lillie made a business trip to La Crosse yesterday.

Miss Ruth Enckhausen, Bertha Jones, Francis Sarles and Dorothy Beebe, who are attending the La Crosse normal, spent Sunday at their respective homes.

Archie McCroy was a business caller at Wonewoc Saturday.

John Heitman who is attending the law school at Valparaiso, is home for a few days.

Mary Griffith spent Sunday at her home near Angelo.

Miss Mabel Baker of Tomah, returned to her home last night after a few days' visit with Miss Wyllis Swarthout.

Miss Florence Lewis and Mamie Graf spent Sunday at their homes.

C. J. Robb, who has been spending a few days at the home of Miss Dorothea Kyle, has returned to his home in Milwaukee.

STORE BANK STOPS

NEW YORK, March 1.—The last of the 57,000 accounts in the department store bank of J. B. Greenhut & Co., were closed out today. The announcement was made that the house is essentially a merchandizing concern and not in the banking business.

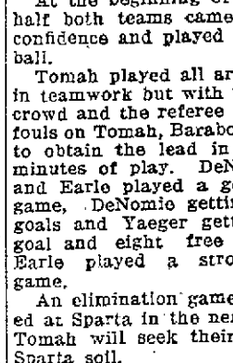
TRAINS IN FRESNO

FRESNO, Cal., March 1.—The Portland, Ore., team reported here for practice today with twenty-six men. They will play a series with the Chicago Colored Giants, and with the White Sox.

THE DANGER OF IT

A Warning Which May Save Your Life or That of Your Children

Be careful what you take for a cold. Many so-called "cold cures," "cough balsams," etc., contain opium, morphine or other poisonous drugs. Remember that Father John's Medicine is absolutely free from dangerous drugs, and has had more than fifty years' success for colds and throat and lung troubles.



Father John's Medicine Best for Colds and Throat and Lungs. — Builds you up.

Because it is free from alcohol or dangerous drugs, Father John's Medicine is safe for all the family to take for colds and throat and lungs. It is a pure and wholesome food medicine with more than fifty years of success. Guaranteed.

BARABOO LICKS TOMAH BASKETERS SATURDAY NIGHT

TOMAH, Wis., March 1.—(Special.)—Tomah was defeated by Baraboo at Baraboo Saturday night in one of the most exciting contests of the season. The game was called at 8:15 o'clock and Tomah started scoring early, Griswold caging the first field goal for them in about a minutes of play.

Yeager then dropped in a free throw which made the count three to 0 in favor of Tomah. Layden then scored two points for Baraboo and then excitement ran high. Tomah then scored again and kept the lead throughout the first half making the count 16 to 10 in their favor.

At the beginning of the second half both teams came back full of confidence and played hard and fast ball.

Tomah played all around Baraboo in teamwork but with the aid of the crowd and the referee who called 19 fouls on Tomah, Baraboo was enabled to obtain the lead in the last two minutes of play. DeNomie, Yeager and Earle played a good and hard game, DeNomie getting three field goals and Yaeger getting one field goal and eight free throws while Earle played a strong defensive game.

An elimination game will be staged at Sparta in the near future, and Tomah will seek their revenge on Sparta soil.

Tomah vs. Kenosha

The debating team of the Tomah high school will debate Kenosha on March 12.

TRANS-COUNTRY PHONE OPEN

NEW YORK, March 1—The transcontinental telephone service was opened for public use today. It will cost a person $20.70 to talk for three minutes from New York to San Francisco and $6.75 for each additional minute.

PURE BLOOD MAKES HEALTHY PEOPLE

Hood's Sarsaparilla removes scrofula sores, boils and other eruptions, because it drives out of the blood the humors that cause them. Eruptions cannot be successfully treated with external applications, because these cannot purify the blood.

Hood's Sarsaparilla makes rich, red blood, perfects the digestion, and builds up the whole system. Insist on having Hood's. Get it now.



Chauncey Olcott in His New Play, "The Heart of Paddy Whack," at La Crosse Theater Thursday, March 4